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PROPOSITION TO HAVE BOTH WATERWORKS AND SEWER SYSTEMS READY BY OCT. 1

McCrary Company Makes Offer to Council and Board of Public Works to Follow Specifications and Do Construction Work on a Basis of a Percentage and Rush Work

Complete plans and specifications for the proposed waterworks and sewer systems to be installed in this city were brought here this week by Chas. C. Cook, chief engineer for the J. B. McCrary company, and Geo. C. Pierce, representative of the company, and were presented to the city council and board of public works at a joint meeting of those bodies held Tuesday night.

Advertisements for the sale of the bonds are now being published, the advertisements calling for the bids to be opened June 1, and immediately after this bids will be asked on the plans and specifications as prepared by the McCrary company.

The adjourned session of the city council and the joint session with the members of the board of public works was held Tuesday night for the purpose of receiving the specifications from the engineering company, and these specifications were thoroughly explained by Mr. Cook, the reading and explanations taking up the time until the lights went out at midnight, when the session was adjourned to meet again tonight.

The plans submitted by the company are the same as the ones submitted after the surveys and estimates had been made and before the bond election was held in January, and as have been explained in these columns before. The specifications are more detailed than the ones previously submitted, being prepared expressly for the guidance of contractors in bidding on the construction work, and explaining in detail the kind of buildings to be erected, the machinery to be installed, the sizes and kinds of pipe to be laid, etc

Just before the adjournment of the joint session Mr. Pierce, as a representative of the McCrary company, presented a proposition, similar to one presented before, that the McCrary company will guarantee to take the issue of bonds at par, and also take the issue of liens on property for the payment of two-thirds of the cost of sewer installation, if the council and board of public work will contract with the McCrary company to do the construction work on a profit percentage basis. The company proposes to act as purchasing agent for the city in purchasing materials, and guarantees that the total cost of installation of the systems of waterworks and sewers will not be more than the guaranteed estimates previously furnished by the company, and any less cost than this will be saved to the city.

The company also agrees, if this contract is accepted by the council and board of public works, to have the construction work finished and both systems completely installed by the first of October.

This proposed contract will be taken up by the two bodies at the adjourned meeting tonight and further discussed by the members.

OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN BY FIRE DEPARTMENT.

At a meeting of the New Smyrna fire department, held Wednesday evening this week, the following officers were re-elected to serve during the ensuing year:

Chief—F. A. Newell.
Assistant Chief—F. L. Moore.
Secretary—V. A. Newell.
Treasurer—E. J. Rogero.

The remaining officers of the various companies will be chosen at a future meeting.

The trustees were asked to fill the vacancy on that board by appointment.

W. H. Gilmore and Gordon Ferreira were elected to membership in the department.

By the action of the department the automobile truck, which has been in the equipment for some time, has been discarded and the hose placed on a one-horse wagon until some other arrangement can be made to handle the hose. The 30-gallon chemical has been taken off the truck and placed on two wheels as before, and the secretary was instructed to notify E. J. Rogero that the fire department does not wish to keep the truck as a part of the equipment, and that it is left in the fire station subject to his order.

A proposal to move the apparatus to the garage now occupied by Zipperer & Patch on Downing street was discussed. Mr. Zipperer proposed to rent one-half of the building to the department for the same rent now being paid by the department. F. L. Moore and K. L. Chilton were appointed as a committee to take this matter up with the trustees and council and ask for authority to move the equipment to the new location.

As the department is now without a hose cart, a campaign is to be started at once to get a motor drawn fire truck.

Must Face Criminal Charge.

Charged with larceny, [illegible] who is classed as a "tramp tourist," was before Justice Newell Wednesday and bound over to the criminal court for trial. Bond was fixed at $200. The complainant was F. M Salin, an old man with whom Grady roomed. Grady is alleged to have got up in the night, taken $51 from Salin's pockets and gone to Oak Hill, where he was later located by Deputy Sheriff Brecke and brought back here for trial.

HAWKS PARK COUPLE MARRIED AT DELAND.

At the Episcopal church rectory in DeLand at 1 o'clock last Saturday afternoon Alexander MacLean, Jr., and Miss Hester Franks were united in marriage, the ceremony being performed in the presence of Mrs Marshall and her daughter, Miss Lillian, Mrs. Vrooman, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Vrooman and Donald Murray.

The wedding party made the trip from this city to the county seat for the ceremony and returned to Hawks Park immediately afterward.

The groom is a son of Alexander MacLean, Sr., and has been coming to Hawks Park for the winter seasons for a number of years. He is well known in Hawks Park and New Smyrna. The bride is from Muskegon, Mich., and came to Hawks Park last fall with Mrs. Marshall and her daughter. She has made many friends during her stay here.

Mr. and Mrs. MacLean will remain at Hawks Park through the summer and will leave next fall for the west to make their home.

The newly married couple were given a reception Monday night, attended by a large number of their friends, who suddenly appeared at their home, which proved too small to accommodate the large crowd and an adjournment was taken to the village hall, where Mr. and Mrs. MacLean were presented with a quantity of silverware, the presentation being made by I. S. Crawford Following this an impromptu program was rendered, consisting of instrumental music by Miss Beryl Murray, recitations by Mrs. Bishop and vocal solos by C. W. Murray. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

MRS. SARAH CLARK WEDDED TO HENRY TOWNSEND.

At the parsonage of the Methodist church in Daytona Tuesday, April [illegible] Mrs. Sarah Clark of New Smyrna and Henry Townsend of Daytona were united in marriage, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. J. H. Elder. Mrs. Townsend has been a resident of New Smyrna for many years and has hosts of friends here who wish her joy in her wedded life. They will make their home on Arlington avenue, Daytona.

Mrs. Martha Sprague, who has spent the winter at the home of her son, C. L. Berge, left today for her home in New Jersey.

BLANKETED BELGIANS TRYING TO KEEP WARM

The soldiers of Belgium are poorly equipped for winter fighting, but blankets are being distributed among them as rapidly as possible.

WHY NOT ALL TOGETHER BY ONE PLAN?

The Florida Citrus Exchange is not an experiment. It has already conclusively demonstrated its value to its members as well as the fruit growers of the state who are not members. Certainly these nonmembers must know that their cooperation is needed to make the work of the exchange more effective.

Here is a mutual association organized without the idea of financial profit in the shape of interest or dividends, for the benefit of the citrus fruit growers of Florida. It has been in successful operation for several years. It has had much to do toward preventing the shipment of immature fruit, which invariably kills the demand on northern markets for one of Florida's finest products. It has had good laws passed to improve conditions for the Florida fruit grower. It has raised the standard of grading and packing citrus fruits until it equals that of any competition. It has secured concessions from transportation companies through its efficient traffic department where individual effort would be ignored. Through its capable management in its grading, packing, transportation and marketing it has secured better prices for its grower-members than they would have otherwise enjoy and at the same time, as a direct result of its influence, Florida fruit has gained a better reputation and growers who are non-members have benefitted correspondingly.

The business affairs of the Florida Citrus exchange are handled by a corps of experts who understand every detail of the industry from the nursery to the market. The wonderful results that they have accomplished in spite of difficulties and obstacles have all been brought about at a cost of only a few cents per box to each member.

In spite of all this there are still hundreds of citrus fruit growers in Florida who are not members of the exchange—who will not join hands with their neighbors for their own good.

It is a pleasure, however, to record the fact that the membership in the exchange is steadily growing and the day is not far distant when 50 per cent or more of the citrus fruit crop of Florida will be graded and packed under the supervision of and marketed through the Florida Citrus exchange.

We don't know how to put this up stronger to you, Mr. Grower, but if you can carefully consider the past record of the exchange, without prejudice, surely your course will be clear to you and you will lose no time in affiliating with this organization that was established for your benefit.—Florida Farmer and Homeseeker.

WEATHER FORECAST

For the week beginning Wednesday, April 20, 1915.

Issued by the United States Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C.

For South Atlantic and East Gulf States:

Except for local showers at its beginning in the east Gulf states, the week will be one of generally fair weather with temperatures above the normal.

STATE HEAD OF WOMEN'S CLUBS IN CITY TONIGHT.

Mrs. W. S. Jennings of Jacksonville, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, will meet with the New Smyrna Woman's club at a special meeting tonight and will address the members of the local organization at the club rooms. Mrs. Jennings met with the Palmetto club in Daytona yesterday afternoon and a number of the members of the local Woman's club attended the meeting. She will go from here to Winter Park tomorrow for a visit with a friend. The local women feel highly honored and very grateful of this oportunity to entertain the state president. An invitation is extended to the men of the city to hear Mrs. Jennings' address tonight.

HERMAN ANDREWS WILL MANAGE GROCERY STORE.

Herman Andrews, well known here because of being formerly connected with the New Smyrna Grocery company, has returned to this city, purchased an interest in the New Smyrna Grocery company's business and will hereafter be in active management of the store, working with Mr. Greer. Mr. Andrews has many friends in this city who are glad to welcome him and his wife as permanent residents of New Smyrna. For some time Mr. Andrews has been connected with Baker & Holmes in Miami.

Mrs. F. M. Allen returned Wednesday from a visit in Sanford.

Gossip of the Town by the Town Gossiper

I understand the city council has given another 60-days order—this time on the buildings at the foot of Lytle avenue—but the building at Faulkner and Julia streets remains and the people are still wondering how long is 60 days.

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I see by the reports of the recent meeting that W. S. Hart of Hawks Park has again been chosen treasurer of the State Horticultural society and the members of the organization may be assured the funds of the society will be as carefully looked after this year as they were when Mr. Hart took up the duties of that office, which he has satisfactorily filled every year since. Reports from over the state are that much credit is due Mr. Hart for the whole-hearted support he has given the society in the 12 years he has served as its treasurer. He has carefully looked after the funds when there were any and met the needs when there were no funds. It is a thankless job at the most, but Mr. Hart has met the obligations of the society in the same way he takes care of his own business matters.

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Dr. Davis Forster wants a red pig that weighs 25 pounds, and he wants this pig brought to him by the man who used an automobile as the instrument to scatter his 25-pound red pig all over the road last Saturday. 'Twas a nice, fat pig and the doctor had hopes of raising him to be a nice, fat hog—until he was hit by the instrument of death and suddenly converted into sausage—and now the doctor wants the driver of that car to bring him another red pig. Just bring the pig down and drop him inside the fence at the Shelter.

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Some kind friend in Daytona has mailed me a marked copy of the Waterbury, Conn., American, with the following item on "Life at New Smyrna," appearing under the head of West Goshen:

"Joseph A. Lucas and family of Egremont, Mass., have been spending the winter at New Smyrna, on the east coast of Florida, in full view of the Indian river, and reports it a cold winter there. He wore an overcoat once on an auto ride and again on the night of March 24, when it froze 9,000 acres of potatoes back in the town of Hastings, next north. New Smyrna is a city of 1,800 people with a mayor and marshal, but no "cops." The assessor has the whole county and lives at the county seat. The state is democratic, or anti-negro, with tendencies towards Teddy Roosevelt. Seventy-five per cent of the tourists are old progressives and they don't seem contrite or penitent. Fishing is poor, the water is cold. Citrus fruits are plenty and cheap. Culls, drops and deadripes sell from 125 for a quarter up to 50 cents a hundred. Some have been plowed under. Mr. Lucas' party will leave Jacksonville April 26 on the steamer Comanche, Clyde line."

The people of New Smyrna will feel like congratulating Mr. Lucas on his wonderful perceptive qualities, for he made at least one truthful statement—New Smyrna is in full view of the Indian river. The people might also feel like congratulating Mr. Lucas on being able to afford an overcoat for that one little, lonely automobile ride he took. However, they might not feel like congratulating Mr. Lucas if the people of Port Orange, Daytona, Ormond, Dupont, Bunnell, Palatka and a few other cities and towns in the 75 miles between this city and Hastings should get hold of him after making the statement that Hastings is the next town north of New Smyrna. Also, he might not be a subject of congratulation if some of the young winter visitors get hold of his statement that 75 per cent of the tourists are "old" progressives. "Fishing is poor, the water is cold." Did Mr. Lucas come here expecting to sit on the bank of Indian river or the beach of the Atlantic ocean and have cooked fish jump out of boiling water into his lap? In what part of the Atlantic ocean does Mr. Lucas expect to find hot water? Very perceptive is Mr. Lucas.

PROGRESSIVE LEAGUE GETS BUSY FOR CITY CAMPAIGN

NEW OFFICERS TO BE CHOSEN AT SESSION TO BE HELD NEXT MONDAY NIGHT IN PELLET'S HALL.

That the New Smyrna Progressive league proposes to take an active part in the coming city election is indicated by the fact that the league is now being re-organized for the purpose of discussing candidates for city offices and platforms on which the candidates will be asked to stand.

An informal meeting of the league was held last Monday night, when the political situations were talked over and discussed and plans for the campaign were outlined.

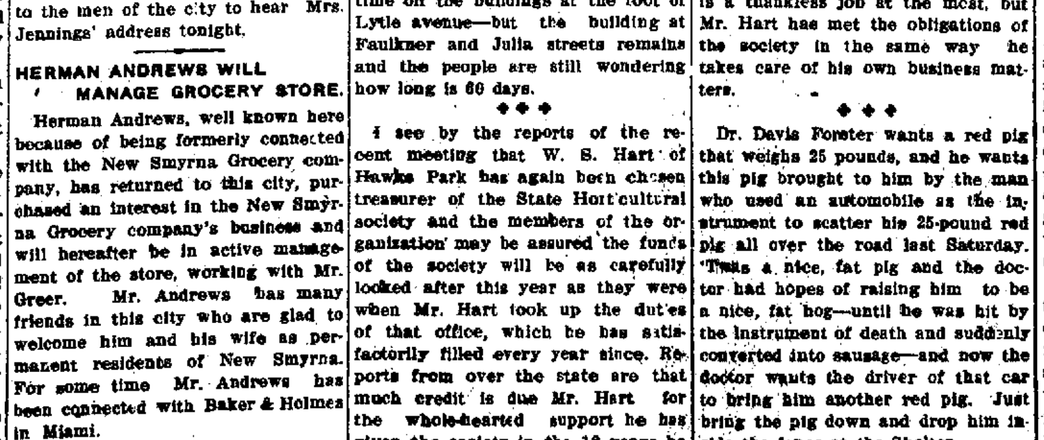
Another meeting of the league will be held next Monday night at Pellet's hall, and notices have been sent to all members of the league, as well as those who may be interested in becoming members, to be present at that session. New officers will be chosen at that time and further plans for the future will be made.

John G. Home Severely Injured.—Many friends of J. G. Home of the Florida East Coast railway, who is in charge of the waterworks and pumping stations, will regret to know that he is laid up with a fractured knee cap and many painful bruises, caused by an accident a few days ago near Melbourne. An axle on the little track motor car on which he was riding on his trip of inspection broke, derailing the car and throwing the occupants into a ditch.—St. Augustine Record.

Mrs. A. E. Boone, son and daughter, have closed their winter home on Magnolia street and left yesterday for their Massachusetts home. Mr. Boone, who was here several weeks during the winter, returned north some time ago.

Geo. L. Branning was ill several days this week and unable to look after his duties as cashier of the State bank.

WHERE TURKEY MAY STRIKE AT ENGLAND



Entrance of the Suez canal at Port Said, Egypt, with statue of Ferdinand de Lesseps in the center.

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NEW YORK DAY BY DAY

What is the matter with the modern woman's dress?

1. Her skirt, long, heavy and insufficiently full, makes her waste energy with every step.

2. Her corset prevents her from bending or sitting easily, and interferes with deep breathing.

3. Her shoes, by balancing her badly, injure the spinal column, and torture her nerves by unnatural compression of the foot.

4. Her frocks take too long in the making and in the adjustment, and they cost too much.

5. Her entire costume is designed to satisfy the commercial instincts of men, rather than the wearers' desire for comfort and beauty.

Right on the heels of the Easter fashion parade comes Rose O'Neill's ingenious indictment of Dame Fashion Herself. Miss O'Neill, as New York's most notable woman artist, has consented to serve on the Polymureil Prize committee, which is to award the prize of $150 offered by Mrs. Mildred Johnstone Landone for the best design of a universal dress for women. The winning Polymureil must be characterized by simplicity, comfort, beauty and durability. The contest is open until midnight, May 31, and all designs are to be sent to the committee, at No. 523 Riverside Drive.

"I cannot see how women can do housework wearing a long, cumbersome skirt and stiff steel corset without completely exhausting themselves. Every step they take in sweeping a room involves energy wasted in pushing the skirt forward. Every time they bend down to pick up a pin they must suffer hurt and strain. I do not believe that the corset does any woman any good, and I think it is the source of physical harm to many.

"Women's clothes cost so much in pain, in time, in money and in worry. First, there is the making of the dress. If the woman goes to a tailor or dressmaker she must stand long hours for her fittings. If she tries to do the work herself she must sew for long laborious hours. Then there are the precious minutes wasted in adjusting all its complicated fastenings for which assistance must be asked from husband, maid or the woman in the next apartment. The financial outlay is too large, because the arbitrarily changing fashion says the dress must be thrown away before it is worn out. And then the worry of the whole process is to be endured anew.

"The Greek robes are delightful for house wear," she said, "but for the street we need something more crisp. We might have a design with long full trousers and back. We might have bloomers and a knee length skirt. Whatever the costume, I think it should clothe a woman in every position she may assume, as a small child is clothed in a suit of rompers.

"A woman should dress on the street so she can climb a ladder or turn a summersault."

Starling Unpopular Bird.

Starlings are not liked in Australia, according to reports from the American consul at Melbourne. Besides being destructive to fruit, they are charged with turning valuable insect eating birds out of their nests.

REAL ESTATE DEALS ALL OVER THE COUNTY

WARRANTY DEEDS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS RECORDED IN OFFICE OF CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT.

DELAND, April 21.—The following instruments affecting property in Volusia county have been recorded in the office of the clerk of the circuit court, the transfers being reported especially for this paper by the Abstract company:

Warranty Deeds —

Barney Dillard and Alice G. Dillard to Barney Dillard, Jr., S½ of N½ of SW¼ and NW¼ of SE¼ of SE¼ of SW¼ of section 22, township 15, range 28.

John F. Morrisey and Marie J. Morrisey to James Haight, part lot 4, block 1, Mary Hoag's sub of lot 1, section 9, township 15, range 33.

James Haight and Hester A. Haight to L. Willard Jaycox, part lot 4, block 1, Mary Haog's sub. of lot 1, section 9, township 15, range 33.

Thomas M. H. Zuber and Evelyn Zuber to Fannie Zuber, east 160 feet of N½, lot 4, block 64, Hodgman's Daytona.

Julia L. Lawrence and Jay F. Lawrence to James E. Alexander, east 6 chains of west 15.12 chains of SW¼ of SE¼ of section 13, township 17, range 30.

H. C. Longstreet and Harriet M. Longstreet to Harold E Vrooman, lots 1 and 2, in block 2, Longstreets revised sub of lots 5 and south 100 feet of lot 6, block 1, Alden sub. of Walker grant, Coronado.

Henry T. V. Law to George W. Watts, part block 4, Greene's addition to Daytona, being a sub. of lots 11, 12 and 13, block 53, Mason & Coleman's addition to Daytona.

Clark G. Smith and Mary E. Smith to Mary E. Smith, lot 11, block 19, Horn's sub of block 19, Memento, and block 18, Rogers Seabreeze

Horace Pullen and Bertha May Pullen to Joe C. Guinn et al, W½ of N½, tract 9, block 4, section 7, township 18, range 33.

Theodore Carter and J Lena Carter to Nettie Clark Wilcox, S½ of E 2-3, lot 11, block 8, Seabreeze.

E J. Shattuck to Isaac Powell, lot 14, block 2, Sams' sub. of lot 11, Model Land Company's sub. of New Smyrna.

Amelious Sauner and Ida J. Sauner to J. Wesley Johnson, lot 2, sub. of lots 1 and 2, and 3, block 61, Higbee's Daytona.

Amelious Sauner and Ida J. Sauner to Frank Dittman, lot 1, of sub of lots 1 and 2, and 3, block 61, Higbee's Daytona.

W. F. Baker and Mary E. Baker to Indian Springs Land Co., tract 11, block 2; tract 2, block 3, all in section 18, township 18, range 33.

Maggie Reese to H. N James, east 50 feet of west 300 feet, lot one, block 1, Daytona.

John B. Odum and Florida L. Odum to Lawson Magruder and A. M. Detrick, lots 106 and 107, Phippen's Eastmont addition to DeLand.

Charles M. McNary to Sidney Ford, part of Grant lots 7½ and 8, in Ormond.

Volusia Development Company to Winona E. McMillan, lot 1, block Z, American Land Company's sub of south 900 acres of Addison Grant, being part section 40, township 13.

E. W. Greene and E. C. R. Greene to Laurence Thompson, block 2, Greene's 3rd sub. in Daytona, being a sub. of lot 10, block 2, Ludwig's sub of lot 1, blockfi 31, Hodgman's Daytona.

Chester L. Clifton and Nannie L. Clifton to George B. Laird et al, north 100 feet of land in block 28, Holly Hill.

Nellie Scull and Isaac Scull to Charles Moore, SW¼ of NE¼ of SW ¼, section 27, township 17, range 30.

I. C. Hughes to J. W. Wade, E½ of W½ of SW¼ of SE¼ of section 28, township 14, range 28.

HUGE SAWFISH SEEN AT CENTRAL BRIDGE SATURDAY

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

Saturday morning a colored woman reported to C. H. Pellecier and Capt. Luther Willin and their wives at the toll house on the Central bridge that a huge sawfish, apparently dead, was lying in the shoal water inshore between the bridge and the seawall of the Orange Island park subdivision. They were unable just then to go and see the fish and shortly thereafter it was noticed by Carl Sparks, who went to the toll house to borrow an axe and coil of rope, with the purpose of securing the saw from the fish. Mr. Sparks waded out to the big fish and met with a surprise when on taking hold of it it suddenly developed a rapid action with its weapon that caused him to beat a hasty retreat to a place of safety, while the sawfish made its way to deep water and escaped. The fish is said by those who saw it to have been between 12 and 15 feet in length, with a saw five or six foot long.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Quitclaim Deeds —

George E. Spear, administrator estate of Thomas R. Spear, to George E. Spear, south 43 feet of west 55 feet, lot 4; south 43 feet, lot 5; south 135 feet, lot 6, and south 135 feet of east 16 2-3 feet, lot 7, block 13, DeLand.

Marriage Licenses —

Eugene Holmer and Essie Gilbert, both of DeLand.

Henry Townsend and Sarah Clark, New Smyrna.

Otha Hoskins and Edna Bishop, both of Enterprise.

Chancery Suits —

Alice Smith vs. Joe Smith — Divorce.

Mary J. Taylor vs. Frank R. Taylor—Divorce.

Probate Proceedings —

Last will and testament of Azuba Stewart admitted to probate and record and letters testamentary thereon issued to Howard P. Stewart.

Letters of administration on estate of Gertrude Thompson issued to Rosa Wilbur.

Letters of administration on estate of Emory E. Baldwin issued to Emma Mitchell.

Petition and order for no administration on estate of T. J. Baker.

THE GRAND CHAPTER O. E. S. EXEMPLIFIES LOCAL CHAPTER WORK

AT AFTERNOON SESSION CHARTERS WERE GRANTED TO EIGHT NEW CHAPTERS—EXEMPLIFICATION WORK.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

The early part of last Thursday afternoon's session, Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star of Florida was devoted to the reports of the Grand Secretary, the Grand Treasurer and the Grand Chaplain. Following the reading of these reports the Grand Chapter enjoyed a vocal solo, "The Lord is My Shepherd," by Mrs. Lillian Adams, of Jacksonville Chapter No. 15.

In the memorial service the song, "Face to Face," was led by Mrs. W. H. Marshall, of Ft. Lauderdale Chapter No. 59.

The memorial service was followed by the reports of the standing committees, the fraternal correspondent and the Florida correspondent.

Charters were granted to new chapters in Blountstown, Seffner, Leesburg, Avon Park, Starke, Bradentown, Palmetto, and Trilby, and a dispensation was continued to Lake View chapter at Compass Lake. The representatives of five of these eight chapters were present and the charters were presented to them by Grand Patron Irving E. Webster, of Gainesville.

The session of the Grand Chapter Thursday evening consisted principally of the exemplification work of a model subordinate chapter by the grand officers, with a candidate for Live Oak chapter, No. 1, of Daytona, and a candidate for Madeleine B. Conklin Chapter No. 16, of DeLand.

The exemplification of work was followed by a short program of entertainment, which included a vocal solo by Mrs. W. H. Marshall, a tableau, "Heroines of the Order," by the grand officers, and a solo, "A Little Pink Rose," by Mrs. Emily E. Jeffries, of Eureka Chapter, No. 5, of St. Petersburg. Light refreshments were served at the close of the session.

A feature of the forenoon session Thursday was the reception of a distinguished guest in the person of Mrs. Sadie M. Quigley, Past Grand Matron of Kentucky.

The session of the Grand Chapter held this forenoon was devoted to the reports of committees and the election of officers which resulted as follows:

Grand Matron, Mrs. Lulu M. Scott, Fort Meade; Grand Patron, Claude E. Connor, Ocala; Grand Secretary, A. H. Carter, Holly Hill; Grand Treasurer, Mrs. Cora R. Franz, Jacksonville; Associate Grand Matron, Mrs. Alice H. Haskell, Palatka; Associate Grand Patron, Silas B. Wright, DeLand; Grand Conductress, Mrs. Sarah A. Harris, Quincy; Associate Grand Conductress, Mrs. Corrie W. Harris, Tampa.

An Englishwoman "Soldier."

The most famous Englishwoman "soldier" was Dr. James Barry, who joined the medical corps in 1813 and served at Waterloo and in Crimea. In 1858, after many promotions, she became inspector general, and it was not until many years later that the fact that she was a woman was discovered.

BASEBALL AT FRONT

Americans in Foreign Legion Want National Game.

Volunteers From the United States With the French Army Get the Fever at Deceptive Sign of Spring.

Paris.—The correspondent of New York Sun with the Foreign Legion at the front writes:

A postcard came from Torcie saying that he is acting as mechanic for an American aviator with the fifteenth squadron of the royal flying corps at Farnsborough, England. He adds that he has been granted ten days' vacation and received $10 advance pay and that the feeding is fine, especially the ham and eggs.

Fred Stone, a New Yorker, has been wounded by shrapnel while on sentinel duty in the trenches at the town of ——. Two bullets entered his body, but Dr. Van Vorst, who attended him, assured us he was all right.

A later letter says:

This is my birthday. Heavy snow has fallen. Strange, for only yesterday as we were on our way to the shooting trenches from the sugar refinery on the canal, where we had all taken hot shower baths, I was thinking of writing to ask you to send us a baseball outfit. Spring was in the air, and everything was beautiful, so no wonder we all got baseball fever.

Many of the Americans here are college men. There are at least three in the rear and thirteen here. We had 14, but Carstairs is gone, Rockwell is in the hospital at Mont Meriel. Olinger is at the depot at Orleans, and so is Collins, who is still ill. Narwich has just joined us again with some others who have come to fill our ranks. Ganson is also at Orleans. Casey has gone for an eight-day rest.

You may think the idea of baseball here is crazy, but why not? The English play football in the rear of the lines. Do not forget that this war is the most remarkable war in many other ways than its size. It has been pointed out often enough that the firing line is 200 miles in length, but not much attention has been paid to its width. Its depth is so comparatively insignificant that we can play ball if we will when out of the trenches. Of course shells fall in this village where I am writing, where we rest, but we can go another half mile or so to the rear and be entirely out of the danger zone. People are living there again as before the war. They hear the distant roar of cannon, but the noise becomes a habit. Anyone who wants a fine reproduction of the front when firing is going on—not a battle but the ordinary firing—has only to go to some big construction work in New York, where he will hear exactly what we hear every day.

The blasting imitates the cannon, the hammer striking the steel girder gives the rifle shot, a steel girder when dropped reproduces a cannon fire effect, especially through the vibrations caused. But the most remarkable imitation is the hydraulic hammer, that contrivance with which a workman bores holes in steel. This instrument exactly imitates a machine gun in action. If I ever get back to to New York I shall jump whenever I hear one.

RIVAL TO "TWILIGHT SLEEP"

In "Sunrise Slumber" Patient Is Conscious, But Feels No Pain.

Columbus, O. — "Twilight sleep," hailed as a godsend to women, has a rival. It is known as "sunrise slumber," the latest in painless childbirth. It was originated here by Dr. C. T. Turner, obstetrical expert at Mount Carmel hospital, and Dr. W. I. Jones, anesthetist.

The new method is not in its infancy. This fact is emphasized by 15 Columbus mothers, who proclaim its virtues, these doctors say. The new treatment differs from "twilight sleep" in that nitrous oxide, commonly known as "laughing gas," is used, and it does not aim to produce complete anesthesia. The patient, it is said, is able to converse and receive impressions, but feels no pain.

MUSTACHE IS REAL BEAUTY

Life Guardsman Dies Curling Hirsute Adornment of His Upper Lip.

"One man of the Life Guards was very particular about his apearance," says Trooper Walter Dale, now at Newcastle-on-Tyne, "and even in war time always carried a little hand mirror with him. I happened to pass him on the field when he had been badly wounded. There he lay, with the glass in his hand, curling his mustache.

"I had to pass on that time, but the next journey we intended to take him to the hospital. It was too late. He was dead and his glass was still clutched in his hand. His mustache had been curled till it was a beauty."

1½-Pound Baby Lives in Oven.

Sharon, Pa.—A baby daughter weighing one and one-half pounds was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. William Newell of Cedar street. The parents are of normal build. Newell is a carpenter. In lieu of an incubator the parents are endeavoring to develop the baby in the oven of the kitchen range.

PORT ORANGE.

PORT ORANGE, April 21.—Mr. and Mrs. John Halter left for their home in Napoleon, Ohio, on Thursday last.

Mrs. Cynthia Emery and her sister Mrs. Vanette, who spent the winter here and started on the 5th inst. for their home in Skelton, Ohio, died there on the night of the 15th, from the effects of la grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Suppes left this morning for their home in Somonauk, Illinois.

W. C. Stevens, formerly of Janesville, Wis., but who has been here all winter, has purchased the Chris. Suppes property, Orange and Dunlawton. Mr. Stevens is planning to make his winter home here, being very much pleased with the climate and place. The townspeople are gratified with the promise of Mr. and Mrs. Stevens as residents. Mr. and Mrs. Suppes are planning to make their home in Allandale, where they have the foundation of a home laid.

David Stubbleton, who has been attending the Daytona high school, has accepted a position on a stock farm near Springfield, Ohio, and will enter upon his duties at once. The best wishes of his friends go with him.

Capt. "Ligé" McDonald has sold the gasoline yawl "Darling," to James E. Sipes, of Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brellsford are on their way home to Paris, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, who had apartments at Mr. Brellsford's, left in company with the latter, on their way to their home in Troy, Ohio.

Leon W. Sparkman has recently equipped Archie McDonald's motorcycle with an "Eclipse" two-speed rear wheel, one of the first in this section, and it seems to work very nicely, making slower speed and more power available in deep sand and where needed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Burgess and Thomas Burgess started on Monday for their home at Woodhull, Ill

The Port Orange Literary and Library association under the administration of its able and efficient corps of officers, is making itself a strong factor in bringing the home people and winter residents, tourists and visitors together socially, and cultivating a taste for the purest, most elevating and fascinating in literature

The meetings of the association have been uniformly interesting, useful and inspiring, broadening the views of the members to take in, in wider scope, the best things attainable. In dealing with association matters the members have manifested abilities of no mean order.

In their "cleaning up day," the members showed their sympathy with and set their approval on, and gave impetus to having a cleaner, better and more progressive town.

On their "guest day," the curtain was drawn aside and friends invited to come and participate in one of the many mental feasts of good things so lavishly provided. Thus inviting their guests to become more closely associated with them in striving to attain to the higher things of life.

Though the last official meeting of the association for the season was held on the 8th inst., a farewell picnic was held on Saturday last at Ridgewood hall. A number of the members have gone north and others were unable to be present, but 70 members and guests sat down to tables crowded with choice viands, which under the influence of good fellowship, were partaken of with zest. The store of food was so abundant that the proposition to come back and have supper found a willing response. Nearly all accepted and were present at the evening meal, and after all had partaken, several baskets (empty or with dishes) and some fragments remained. May the club long prosper and repeat the last program.

Mr. and Mrs. Renney are leaving for their home in Verona, Ill.

The Good Times Club met last week at the homes of Mesdames Scott and Stover, South Riverview, on Tuesday afternoon. This week they are entertained by Mrs. Cory, Dunlawton and Lafayette street.

The reception given at the Prince George hotel, Daytona, last Wednesday evening, by the grand officers of the O. E. S., to members and visitors, was attended by Mrs. Cory, Mrs. Needham, Mrs. Renny, Mrs. Nokes and Mrs. Howland. These ladies, with Mrs. Agnes M. Smith and William Cory, also attended the Grand Chapter Thursday.

A cement crossing, donated by D. E. Lyon, Jr., being put down across Orange street on the south side of Dunlawton avenue.

A bicycle shed for the protection of the pupils' wheels is being erected on the school grounds.

Important Accessory, Anyhow.

The automobile people to the contrary notwithstanding, the best sparking device continues to be a sofa, with the lights turned low.—Judge.

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Seabreeze and Daytona Beach

SEABREEZE.

SEABREEZE, April 17. — Mr. and Mrs Robt. C. Waterson gave a farewell party to several of their friends Tuesday evening at their winter home on North Halifax avenue, which turned out one of the jolliest impromptu occasions of this season. It is told that the dignified mayor of Seabreeze no less than his honor, L. W. Lott, developed wonderful ability as interlocutor, and Mr. Waterson shone with no less splendor as high comedian. The efforts of the entertainers brought forth peals after peals of merry laughter, and the evening will be long remembered as one of the merriest of all by those who gathered at the hospitable home. Vocal and instrumental music contributed to the pleasures of the evening. Light refreshments were enjoyed. Miss Pierson, at the solicitation of the company gave for the closing number "A Perfect Day," and the season adieus were said to those who left the following day on their way north, after all had joined in singing Auld Lang Syne.

To the gratification of his congregation, Rev. Elmer Willie Serl has been able to so arrange his appointments that he can remain over in Seabreeze until May 1st. In consequence, services will be held at the Tourist church Sunday morning, as usual

The most encouraging report comes from Dr A. T. Bigelow, ex-mayor, who has been at Dr. Klock's hospital for ten days or more. It is quite likely that Dr Bigelow will be well enough to come home by Saturday.

Mrs Ruby, who has been at New Smyrna with Major and Mrs. Abercromble for several months, came home last week and is with Mrs. Bigelow in the doctor's absence

Mrs Tincher and her little son, John, who have been with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Abell, in her home on North Halifax avenue all winter, left Thursday for Washington, D C, and points in New Jersey, to visit relatives, enroute to their home in Danville, Ill Mrs Tincher's maid accompanied them to Jacksonville, to go from there directly to Danville, Ill

C S Coryell, whose family left last Saturday on their return to Toronto, Canada, decided to remain sometime longer, and is guest at the home of Mr and Mrs R C. Waterson, on North Halifax avenue.

Mrs E P. Stengle, proprietor of the Geneva, went up to Jacksonville Wednesday morning with Mrs. Bell Cavin and her mother, Mrs. Gunther, the latter of whom has been quite ill at the Geneva for several weeks, but was able to start on her return trip to Owensboro, Ky.

A large number of guests of the Princess Issena left Saturday on their return north. However, business has kept up there splendidly there still being 50 in the hotel at this time.

The social season at the Princess Issena waxed very gay toward the end For the past two weeks or more, boat parties, putting parties, automobile parties and card parties have followed in quick succession, and although the number has lessened the spirit of pleasure is none the less in evidence.

Mr and Mrs. George Dillon leave the latter part of the week on their return to Pittsfield, Mass., after a four months' stay at the Princess Issena.

Mrs. C. F. Burgman and sons, Jerome and Leo, and guests of the Seminole Lodge, Mrs. Howard Stanton and daughter, and Mrs S. Elvin and Miss Marie Zulich joined the excursionists on the Southland for a trip to the Tomoka Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs Lewis Williams, of Richfield, N. Y., who have been spending the eason at New Ssmyrna, are at the Geneva for the week.

Among other recent arrivals at the Geneva are Mrs. J. Oran and two daughters of Toronto, who came up from Miami this week, and D. M. Shipley and wife, of Shiloh Springs, N Y.

Mr. and Mrs. H G. Wells closed their winter home on Earl street Monday and left to spend the summer in Malden, Ill Mr and Mrs. Wells left earlier than usual this spring on account of business matters. Mr. Wells has disposed fo his farm and will build a new bungalow home in Malden Mr. and Mrs. Wells are very active in church work Mr. Wells is Sunday school superintendent and one of the trustees of the Tourist church. Their numerous friends here would like to see them become all-the-year-round residents of Seabreeze

B F Jobes has had a letter from their son, Thomas Jobes, who with his wife returned north about a week ago The writer says he reached Bordentown, N. J, the day bfeore a blizzard and driving snow storm; that it snowed for two days, and that the snow was a foot deep on the level and four or five feet in drifts. The writer goes on to state that the snow cleared quickly, and that in two days the thermometer stood at 90 degrees, but at the writing it was cold again And yet we complain of the irregularity of Florida weather Mr Jobes has been sick and unable to work ever since he reached home

SEABREEZE, April 19—The following party of automobilists enjoyed a picnic at DeLeon Springs, Monday of last week: Mr. Hall and his mother, Mrs. Foster, who accompanied Dr. and Mrs. S. Z. Holland in their car, and Mesdanes C. A. Lund and W. O. Upson, who went with Mr. and Mrs. Murdock in their car. They built a fire and had hot coffee and meat, with the et ceteras they carried along. On the return home they were caught in a pouring rain, which fell between DeLand and Daytona. Mr. and Mrs. D. Michael and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hutton, joined the party in Daytona.

The last meeting of the library club was held at the home of Mrs. W. O Upson, on Earl street last Tuesday afternoon. Forty-seven ladies were present and the time passed in a pleasant social reunion. The receipts of the afternoon were $4.70.

The following picnic party enjoyed Thursday at Wilbur: Mr. and Mrs. Boyd, Mr Wilcox, Sr., and daughter, Miss Wilcox, Mrs. B. F Wells and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Poor and Mr Poor's brothers, who are visiting him.

Mrs. Geo H. Johnson, who has spent the first winter in her new residence on North Peninsula drive, left Wednesday morning to join her family at Endicott, N. Y Mr. Johnson and daughter went north several weeks ago. The chauffeur and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin, who were located in a cottage on North Halifax avenue, left in the car to drive to Jacksonville, from which point the car will be shipped north.

Mrs Henry Gane, who with Mrs Gane and children has been spending the season in the Griggs' home, has gone to Atlantic City, N. J, for treatment by a specialist for a sprained ankle. Mr. and Mrs Gane expect to leave about May 1st on their return to their home at Santa Barbara, Cal

At a business meeting held Tuesday afternoon by the trustees of the Methodist church a building committee was appointed, and an architect will be employed to get plans under way to enlarge the seating capacity of the building The present expectation is to build a basement of sufficient size for a Sunday school room under the east end of the church It is also hoped to install a pipe organ before another season opens

Speaking of the parsonage grounds, which are already greatly improved under Rev. and Mrs John Treadwell's care, Mr and Mrs. Treadwell wish to extend their thanks to their friends of the congregation who have so generously donated plants for this "community yard"

DAYTONA BEACH.

DAYTONA BEACH, April 16—John Barb has purchased of W R Phillips the Hilton apartment house on Ocean avenue Mr Barb is investing and building on Ocean avenue and vicinity in a way that shows his faith in the upbuild of ocean property.

Mr. and Mrs Geo W. Knox who closed their second season at the Orr apartment house last week, left for Brooklyn, N Y, their home town, Monday.

W. G Brewster who, with his wife, has been occupying an apartment in the Orr house left Monday on his return to Detroit, Mich., leaving Mrs. Brewster to join him when the frost gets out of the weather there.

Mrs. Witt, of Kansas City, and friend, Mrs. Parker, of Topeka, Kans., left Tuesday morning on their way home. They occupied rooms in the Orr apartment house.

Mr. and Mrs. Eby regular winter tourists, who this season have been in the Phillips flats on Seabreeze avenue, left Thursday morning on their return to Connersville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilson, who spent the winter at the county seat, came in from DeLand this week and are located for a short time on Seabreeze avenue. They are delighted with the attractions of Daytona Beach and vicinity and regret that they did not come earlier.

A. P Robertson left Monday for Rochester, Mich, to join Mrs. Robertson, who was called home a couple of weeks ago.

Mrs M. F. Barnes, who spent the winter in St. Augustine, came in from that place the first of the week and is with Mr and Mrs. H T. M. Treglown at their winter home on Halifax avenue, where she will spend the summer

Mrs Edla Phillips, of Peninsula drive, has just closed a deal with Thos Beach and his son-in-law, Cecil Vining, for the sale of a lot on Coates street, south of Harvey avenue.

Mrs J. M Harris and daughter, of Boyne City, Mich, who have been house guests of Mr and Mrs A J Beardsley at their winter home on Halifax avenue, leave Tuesday for Ann Arbor, Mich. Mrs Harris is a prominent club woman of her home town, and she very much enjoyed the club privileges of the Sans Souci and Palmetto club meetings

Sans Souci Club Meeting—

The Sans Souci club met with Mrs. A J Beardsley on Halifax avenue, Thursday afternoon, 18 ladies present. Mrs G H Sheets and Mrs C. L Watkins were in charge of the program, which was a very interesting one, given by Miss Lucile Stanley Mitchell, principal of the department of domestic science in the Daytona high school Miss Mitchell exhibited samples of the work of the pupils of the school, done under her direction. Many questions were asked and answered, and those present were very much pleased with Miss Mitchell's lecture.

A Much Needed Utility—

At the last meeting of the town council, a permit was granted W H Phillips for the erection of a steam laundry on lot 6, Seabreeze avenue, which is the lot adjoining and west of the Phillips apartment house The building will cost from $2500 to $3000 This is a much needed utility on the peninsula and will receive a large patronage

Miss Bessie Justice who has been spending a month at Lake Helen, is expected here this week, but will probably spend the summer north.

Mrs. C W Tippyson and friend, Mrs. W. H. Deacon, who have been occupying one of the Beardsley cottages, left Friday morning for their home in Jackson, Mich. They will make several stops enroute.

News has reached here of the birth of a son, who arrived early in April, to Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Smith at their home in Jacksonville. Mr. Smith, who was reared here, has many friends in this vicinity.

S H. Armour, of Toronto, Canada, registered at the Palm for a few days' stay.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Rector will regret to learn that he is very sick at his home on Peninsula drive. A bad attack of asthma, to which Mr. Rector is subject, has developed into pneumonia.

Mrs W. S Cushman, of New Haven, Conn., has returned home, called north earlier than she had planned to go by business. Mr. Cushman, who is employed on the construction of the E. L. King handsome winter home, expects to be here all summer.

Dreams.

It is a common saying that one dreams of that which one has been thinking most about. This is the exception and not the rule. The dream may be of something that one thought of at some time, but possibly not for years, that would not be recalled in waking hours, which had lain dormant in the mind, to be prosically rehearsed through some operation of physical functions, such as impeded respiration, feverish conditions, some posture of the body, a late supper, possibly ended with a dessert of mince pie, stomachic distress, clogging of the circulation or some bodily pain.

A Flood of Wine.

The Argentinians are a wine-drinking nation. The natives are of Spanish descent and are accustomed to having wine with their meals The immigrants, who have come in by the millions and who form perhaps one-half of the population, are mostly Italians and Spaniards, all of whom drink wine every day. All of the small Italian farmers have their own wine supply and every one who can afford it lays in a number of casks for his own use

Baby Knew Another Song.

The most embarrassing moments of my life, writes a correspondent of the Chicago Tribune, were one day while I was entertaining the minister, and wishing to display the sweet voice and really excellent memory of my little three-year-old, I coaxed her to sing the little song I had taught her, namely, "Baby's Boat's a Silver Moon" I had overlooked the fact, however, that the baby's father had taken her to the vaudeville show the other day, and consequently was greatly horrified when she lifted her little skirts and, capering about with an impish look, rattled out "He's a debbil; he's a debbil in his own home town."

Righteously Indignant.

Head of the firm (discovering that his apprentice and his young daughter are corresponding)—Well, well, it's love letters the rascal is writing to my daughter, and on my typewriter, too!—Munich Fliegende Blaetter.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARADE SUCCESS

EXCELLENT PARADE HELD SUNDAY AFTERNOON BY MEMBERS CLASSES OF CHURCHES OF DAYTONA AND KINGSTON.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

The union Sunday school parade in this city on Sunday afternoon was a decided success and was participated in by about 300 members of the Sunday schools of the Baptist, Christian, Congregational, First Methodist and Kingston Methodist churches which appeared in the parade in the order named.

The parade was led by E. H. Shoemaker, superintendent of the Volusia county Sunday School association, on foot and carrying a large United States flag. There were class banners and flags in great profusion.

The parade started from the Congregational church, at the corner of Volusia and Palmetto avenues, went west on Bay street to Ridgewood avenue east on Live Oak avenue to Palmetto and north on that avenue to the place of beginning, where the assemblage disbanded.

The start was made from the point stated at shortly after 3:00 p m., and the paraders marched on the sidewalk on the right side of the street, while a dozen or more automobiles, also containing Sunday school members, kept beside them in the street.

The parade made quite a fine appearance and demonstrated the strength of the Sunday schools of this city and their interest in the work.

An Old College for Girls.

One of the oldest schools for girls on the American continent is the Colegio de la Pez in Mexico City This was founded by wealthy Spaniards in 1732 for the benefit of the children of the poorer classes. The building was designed after the royal palace in Madrid and covers nearly five acres of ground. The original name was the Colegio de San Ignacio. About eight hundred girls are usually in the college under a staff of 45 teachers.

Weeping Willows.

The weeping willows, so-called (scientific name S babylonica), is a native of China, from which country it has been taken over most of the civilized earth. It varies in height and dimensions, according to climate and soil, and invariably maintains its drooping habit, the chief cause of its attractiveness

Grumbling.

It is the easiest thing in the world to be dissatisfied. Anyone can do it, as the phrase goes, without thinking. But those who really think must agree with Amiel, the philosopher. He counsels thus. "Despise not your situation In it you must act, suffer and conquer. From every point on earth we are equally near to heaven and the infinite."

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"DEEP WATER," Our Slogan.

WEATHER REPORT.

for the week ending April 19, as reported by Frank J. Nordman, co-operative observer:

Date	Temperatures Highest	Lowest	Rainfall in inches and hundredths
13	89	57	00
14	76	58	.04
15	71	62	.00
16	68	62	00
17	89	49	.00
18	75	50	00
19	76	55	.00

HAWKS PARK

Mr. and Mrs. R. R Vrooman were the victims of a cleverly planned and carried out surprise party at their home last night

The Junior Auxiliary will give the last dance of the season t morrow night

Miss Ruth Smith left Sunday to visit her brother at Oak Hill

George Preston and wife started Thursday for their northern home in Hennicker, N H.

At a recent meeting of the V I A. a committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements to incorporate the village of Hawks Park The committee is composed of I S Crawford, Dr D. Forster and Geo Preston

Mrs Bishop and Mrs Metcalf left Thursday for their homes in Worcester, Mass.

Mrs Forster has returned from a stay at Green Cove Springs.

Mr. and Mrs Geo Merdill W S. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Elwanger and Miss Lillian Gilson returned Saturday from Tampa, where they attended the meeting of the State Horticultural society.

Cruel Deception.

A neighbor had a parrot and a dog named Mac The mistress did not allow Mac in the house unless she called him. Mac could open the screen door, but seldom did so, as he was whipped when he did It amused Polly much to see Mac whipped. Polly could imitate the voice of the mistress perfectly. One day Mac was whipped for entering and shut out again. He came in again, then the third time, each time receiving his punishment and being sent out again. The mistress could not understand why Mac was so unruly, so she did not return to her work, but waited. What was her surprise to hear a voice say, "Come in, Mac Poor Mac. Come in, Mac." It was Polly calling Mac to see him punished and sent out again.

Surgery in the Air.

Sitting astride a steel beam on the highest section of a new theater under construction a doctor recently chloroformed a structural ironworker, and snapped into place the bones of a dislocated shoulder When the accident occurred the workman was left helpless, as both arms were disabled, and there was no means of descent except a series of ladders The doctor removed his hat, coat and vest, and began the dangerous ascent. A workman followed with the doctor's surgical case. After the operation the workman was able to make his way down the ladder and was taken to his home.

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FLORIDA CITRUS EXCHANGE

It came to pass several weeks ago that the Florida Citrus Exchange controlled the major portion of the fruit remaining in the State—for the first time in the history of the organization.

Almost immediately prices became good and they have been maintained since at a satisfactory level. The lesson is obvious and justifies the faith of the founders of the Exchange that what has happened would take place whenever the Exchange had the marketing of more than half of the fruit.

The Florida Citrus Exchange can continue to get good prices for the growers so long as they let it handle the greater portion of the crop. Therefore it asks that they entrust it with the marketing of sixty per cent or more of the citrus fruit produced in the State for the coming season that it may keep on doing this.

It is the plan of the Exchange to carry on even more aggressively its splendid advertising to increase consumer demand for Florida oranges and grapefruit. This season it has opened up many markets in which Florida fruit never before was sold. By still further extending this line of effort, the Exchange proposes to sell a much larger proportion of the fruit outside of auctions.

Growers now can join the Exchange with the privilege of having the local Association sell their fruit in carload lots at the packing house to buyers whenever these offer satisfactory prices. Any grower may terminate his contract with the Exchange at the end of shipping season. Won't you join under these conditions? If so, fill out and sign this blank, mailing it to the general offices in Tampa.

Date ____________

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I will join the Exchange for the season of 1915-16 on the terms set forth above.

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Number of acres bearing trees in grapefruit ________ Postoffice ____________

Number of acres bearing trees in tangerines ________ Shipping Station ____________

FLORIDA CITRUS EXCHANGE

Plenty of Other Ways.

A boxing professor was giving his pupil a few tips, when suddenly he gave a knockdown blow Pupil—"Is it necessary to knock me down like that?" Professor—"Bless yer, no, governor. Get up and I'll show yer ten other ways."

Modern Education.

A prominent school principal lately told us some of the answers found in pupils' examination papers. Here are two of them: "What is a volcano?" "A volcano is a mountain that sometimes blows the equator off." "What is the difference between a mountain and a hill?" "A hill is like a mountain, only a mountain is a little more hillier."

When the Witness Scored.

Judge—"What is your occupation, my man?" Prisoner—"I am a bus driver, my lord." Judge—"You mean you are the driver of horses attached thereto?" Prisoner—"Yes, sir." Judge—"You are charged with hitting this man on the face. Did you do it?" Prisoner—"Certainly not!" Judge—"What did you do, then?" Prisoner—"I hit him on the nasal organ attached thereto."—Tit-Bits.

Had Made Something.

"Did yis iver make iny money backin' harses, Mulligan?" "Sure, Oi made a hundred dollars wance." "How did yes do ut?" "Oi backed him down cellar awn thin sued th' mon for lavin' th' dure open."

French "Immortals."

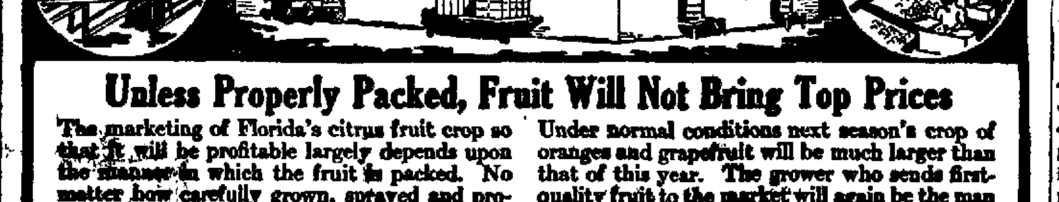
The "Forty Immortals" are those constituting the membership of the French Academy, the most eminent of the five academies known together as the Institute of France. It was founded in 1635 by the celebrated Richelieu and reorganized in 1816. Its forty members, after the strictest examination, are elected for life. It meets twice weekly at the Palace Mazarin and is the highest authority on everything literary in the country. A chair in the academy is the highest ambition of all literary Frenchmen.

Drifting Is Decisive.

Drifting is action, the most decisive kind of action.—David Graham Phillips.

And What Could He Answer?

One Sunday morning Mr. Moody, the revivalist, entered a Chicago drug store, distributing tracts. At the back of the store sat an elderly and distinguished citizen reading a morning newspaper. Mr. Moody approached this gentleman and threw one of the temperance tracts upon the paper before him. The old gentleman glanced at the tract, and then, looking up benignantly at Moody, asked: "Are you a reformed drunkard?" "No, sir, I am not!" cried Moody, drawing back, indignantly. "Then why don't you reform?" quietly asked the old gentleman.



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Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that F. W. Bredow, purchaser of tax certificate No. 34, dated the 5th day of June A D. 1911, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit: N½ of Lot 21, Dupont & Gaudry Grant. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of P. P. Nichols. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 11th day of May A. D. 1915.

Witness my official signature and seal this 9th day of April A. D. 1915.
(SEAL) SAM'L D. JORDAN,
Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County, Florida. By CLIFFORD BOTTS, Deputy Clerk.

Church Notes

Grace Episcopal Church—

On Palmetto one block so[uth of] Canal, William L. Blaker, pri[est in] charge. Order of services:

Sunday

Holy Communion at 8 a. m.
Morning prayer with sermon [...] a. m.
Evening prayer with serm[on ...] 7 p. m.
Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Holy Communion

Every Sunday at 8 a. m.
First Sunday in the month [...] a. m.
On holy days as announced.
The Litany Friday at 7:30 p. [m.]
There will be no evening s[ervice on] the first and third Sundays of [the] month.

Seventh Day Adventist Church—

Service Friday evening [...] o'clock. Sabbath school a[t ...] o'clock Sabbath (Saturday) [morn]ing. Bible reading at 11. Re[gular] preaching service every Sunday [even]ing. ROYAL RUBBELL, El[der]

Baptist Church—

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Pr[each]ing service at 11 a. m. and 7 [p. m.] Mid-week prayer meeting Wedne[sday] evening at 7:30 o'clock. Everybo[dy] cordially invited to attend these [ser]vices. B. F. GREEN, Pastor in Char[ge]

First Methodist Church—

Corner of Douglass and Palm streets.
Sabbath school at 9:45 o'cloc[k] L. Branning, superintendent.
Sermon at 11 a. m.
Sermon at 7 30 p. m. Special [mu]sic by the choir.
Mid-week prayer service We[dnes]day at 7:30 p. m.
The general public, and espec[ially] strangers, are invited to attend t[hese] services.
There will be a meeting for [men] only in the Baptist church Fr[iday] evening at 7:30 o'clock. The [Rev.] Stephen James Baker, pastor of [the] First Baptist church of St Au[gus]tine, will address the meeting [and] has an interesting subject to [pre]sent and all men of the church [and] congregation are urged to be pre[sent].
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STATE BOARD OF HEALTH BULLETIN

King Soloman said: "There be three things which are too wonderful for me, yea, four which I know not."

Saloman in his day was considered a rather close observer and the reputation has clung to his name all through all the ages, but if he had lived now it is very probable that he would have to admit that several more things were past his comprehension.

"The way of the eagle in the air, the way of a serpent upon a rock, the way of a ship in the midst of the sea, and the way of a man with a maid," are still unsolved, even with our superior experience, and more than these, we cannot understand the way of some lawmakers. There may be a reason, but—

There is a certain town in south Florida—the name is withheld, it would be *too severe punishment*—which on account of local conditions and the subsequent expense, has no sewerage system. The city council was asked not long ago to adopt an ordinance providing that all earth closets in the city should be screened—flyproofed—to prevent the spread of typhoid fever. It was intended as a protection for public health, and it is a measure that has been proved elsewhere a most effective protection; but this body of men declined to make it a law because of the expense

At the same meeting of the same legislative body bids were asked for the construction of a concrete wall about the city cemetery, which, it was understood, would cost not less from ten thousand dollars.

Think of it. The adoption of a law requiring a safety appliance to ward off or lessen a serious disease; a law which would entail absolutely no expense to the city, excepting its enforcement, was positively refused and contractors were asked to submit bids for the expenditure of thousands of dollars to satisfy a *sentiment*.

In this there is intended no disrespect to the memory of the dead Civic pride and the beautifying of public places should be encouraged. "God's Half Acre" should be made as lovely as money and art can make it, but the first duty is to the living. Human life should be the most precious *thing, but the* unwisdom of men charged with high responsibilties make it the cheapest commodity in the world. Even our highest and noblest sentiments for the dead should not outweigh our regard for the living. God never intended that.

Typhoid is a fly-bourne disease. The destruction of the fly, and the prevention of its contamination with the germs of disease, are effective measures in the reduction of typhoid prevalence, in wiping it out from a community. It is a conservative estimate that every case of typhoid involves a money outlay of $500, and this does not include the loss of time through incapacitated human productivity.

Public officials who fail to recognize their responsibility toward their constituency in the protection of life and health, are not fitted for their responsibilities. Such a course as that pursued by the south Florida city council, proves its members too small, too narrow for public place. They haven't "made good."

When the people of Florida shall come to realize the value of public and individual health, when they shall realize that the failure to utilize every established precaution against preventable diseases is a sin, a crime, it is possible that sober, serious-minded, intelligent men will be selected to enact laws, and not men who "consent" to run for office at the "earnest solicitation of many friends."

The Simple Life.

After a farmer retires from active work he spends the balance of his life helping his wife with the family washing.—Louisville Times.

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Worth It.

"I understand that tenor keeps his voice in order by swallowing glycerin, menthol, camphor and oil of cinnamon," said the musician. "Great Scott!" replied the ordinary individual. "No wonder he insists on such high wages!"

Proof of It.

She—"Men aren't any brainier than women; they have only fooled us into believing that they are" He—"Well, doesn't that show that they are?"—Boston Evening Transcript.

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Throughout the state, towns and cities are following the recommendation of the Federation of Women's Clubs to observe "clean-up week," and nearly every weekly newspaper carries the mayor's proclamation asking for observance of the week, usally May 4 to 11.

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Mrs. Jessie A. McGriff of Jacksonville, head of the state legislative committee, has been doing active work in Tallahassee since the opening of the legislature, in regard to the bills recommended by the state federation. Mrs. McGriff is being received courteously by the members of the legislature and has organized the women of Tallahassee for an active campaign.

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The Woman's club of Sarasota has just celebrated the opening of a fine new club home. The club is two years old, has a membership of 200, owns the lot on which the clubhouse stands, and has erected the building at a cost of $4 500, to be paid for gradually.

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Florida is one of five states which has no compulsory school law, but it is quite certain that before the adjournment of the *present legislature*, it will be ranked with the large number who do have.

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The Orlando Peace society is requesting that Women's clubs send representatives to the convention to be held in Orlando April 29 to May 2. Dr. Arthur D Call, national director of the American Peace society, will be present and hopes to organize a state peace society.

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Now that the city council has refused to allow the city square to be used for school purposes, the Woman's club hopes the council will take action upon Mayor Newell's recommendation asking that half of the block be set apart for a city park, with the northwest corner reserved for the Woman's club.

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The March issue of the General Federation magazine contains an article by Mrs. Geo. W. Perkins, president of the Massachusetts general federation, on the "Ideal Club Woman." Read it and see if it isn't an ideal worthy of any woman's striving to attain. The article follows:

As we think of clubs and their value we are prone to guage their power or success by the efficiency of their officers, losing sight of the fact that it is the kind of members a club has which in the end proves its worth. The ideal club must have not only ideal officers, but ideal members as well. And what is an ideal club member? It is not the simple task it may at first appear to describe her. To be sure we club women all have—or are supposed to have—an ideal which we are striving to realize. The difficulty in generalizing it lies in the fact that it is so multiform—that the standard one person sets before herself to emulate may be radically different from that which is chosen as the objective of another, while a third person may have yet another criterion. What is more, all three may differ as to the qualities with which they would endow their idea's.

However, it seems obvious that there are certain distinctive traits essential to the ideal club woman, as well as certain characteristics that are equally to be avoided. The ideal club woman must be enthusiastically interested in her club; in its business meetings as well as in its luncheons; in the days when there is "home talent" as well as when the program carries the name of some noted speaker or some special attraction. She is the woman who is punctual in attending meetings; prompt in answering letters; alert in doing the work assigned to her. She is always ready to do her part—in fact, she is always doing a little more than she is asked to do; she is ever willing to contribute something to make her club a success; she is absolutely forgetful of self, thinking only of the good of her organization. Of course she does not gossip, and she is free from the spirit of criticism, for she tries to thoroughly understand a question before expressing her opinion. She is full of charity and very appreciative of the efforts of others; she has (this naturally follows) graciousness and tact.

The ideal club woman is one whose home is not only not neglected, but is more efficiently managed and more a source of inspiration because of the club interests.

She is honest not only with her coworkers but with herself, and she is never an office seeker.

Most of all, the ideal club woman must have sympathy. One of the political leaders of *Massachusetts* said recently that the "greatest test of true womanhood is a broad human sympathy." Sympathy means knowledge and understanding of the conditions existing in the world, but it also means a reasonableness of mind towards others' opinions, and an appreciation of the value of different *points of view. It also means* being what is termed a "good mixer," able to adapt herself to all those with whom she comes in contact.

Two years ago at the Council meeting in Washington, the subject on the program for the last meeting was "The Ideal Club Woman," and those who were present remember that it was said she must have the following characteristics: Steadfastness, thoroughness, poise, charity, courage, justice, hopefulness, faith, patience, honesty, dependability, sympathy, cheeriness, tactfulness.

After all the ideal club woman is only the ideal woman, ready to play her part wherever she may find herself.

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In last week's issue the name of Mrs. E. E. Ireland was ommitted *from* the list of members of the junior civics committee.

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The suffragists of the state are not meeting with any marked degree of success in their efforts before the state legislature, but 17 states of the Union have now given women the electoral franchise, and the *time is not far distant when* Florida will step in line.

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Another outing is being planned to take place in about a month, at which time the husbands are to be guests of the club members.

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The readiness with which the leftover food sold at the picnic was convincing proof that occasional cooked food sales would be profitable.

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Mrs. W. S. Jennings, president of the State Federation, will be in New Smyrna tonight and a meeting has been called to take place in the club room at 8 o'clock. Entertaining our state president is an honor in which we should take great pride and every club member in town is urged to attend the meeting. The invitation has been extended to include the husbands and we assure them that they will not regret hearing Mrs. Jennings speak on woman's club work. Let us fill our club room to overflowing.

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The picnic held Wednesday at Coronado beach was a success from every standpoint. The weather was fine, the attendance good, the dinner a bountiful one and every one was in the best of spirits. Dinner was served at Daugherty's pavilion and the afternoon was spent in various delightful ways. Some availed themselves of the opportunity for surf bathing, others busied themselves with fancy work, while others passed the time in dancing old time figures. A spirited auction sale of foods left from the dinner took place just before leaving. Those who were present were Mesdames H. H. Sams, W. A. Whitman, J. F. Van Deusen, J. H. Hibbard, E. A. Latham, G. H. Crane, E. E. Neal, Howard Almy, H. T. Hofreiter, W. B. Eckler, Cora Pitzer, F. M. Allen, P. E. Braswell, C. G. Herrick, J. C. Lyle, Martha Sprague, C. L. Berge, C. L. Dohn, Mary Hill, E. A. Kelley, Kate McKeown, W. C. Chowning, H. L. Rood, Misses Louise Crane, Minnie Fishbach.

What Adam Never Knew.

"Adam made a failure of de fruit business," said the old darky, "but mebbe ef he'd never tackled it we never would 'a' knowed de juicy sweetness of de Georgia watermillion!"—Atlanta Constitution.

To Be Determined.

"What are you going to do when you get home?" "I don't know yet," replied Senator Sorghum. "I've got to wait and see whether my reception by the town folks is in the nature of an ovation or the third degree."

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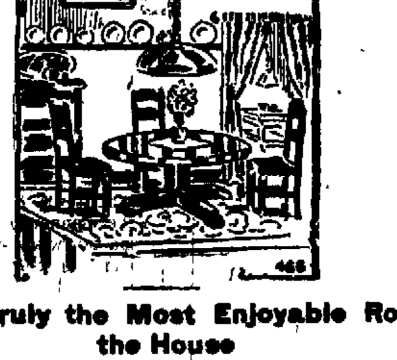

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(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

The freight boat Matanzas, which for a month or more made weekly round trips between Fort Pierce and Jacksonville inaugurated a twice-a-week schedule this week, beginning Monday. Hereafter the Matanzas will make semi-weekly round trips between Fort Pierce and Daytona, at the latter place transferring her cargo to boats of the Howard Transportation company.

Because new engines were being installed in the Matanzas, she made no trip last week.

Joy in Service.

A life lived for self can never be good nor great. There is only one way to save a life and that is to lose it in service to others. Every child is entitled to a chance "to do the things" which he is able to do for others. Service of this kind brings home the highest joy as the years come and go. It is true, this "doing" affords in childhood days an outlet for physical energy; but better than that it forms the habit of living for others, which will some day prove to be a fountain of perennial joy to him.

An Ingenious Courtship

By WILLARD BLAKEMAN

Mrs. Martindale, realizing the dangers which beset young persons who step into matrimonial traps, desired that her daughter should be settled matrimonially while her mother lived and that she should marry a good man Edward Sawyer was the person on whom Mrs. Martindale had fixed her intentions for her daughter. One day she said to him:

"Edward, I have noticed that you seem pleased with Gwen. I wish to see her settled before I leave her. If you wish to marry her I will help you to win her. If not, I shall try to make a match for her elsewhere"

"You have not been deceived in my partiality for Gwen, Mrs. Martindale, but I don't see that Gwen has any special partiality for me."

"Gwen is romantic and needs to be won by romance. That is why I fear for her. Some worthless fellow is liable to appeal to her in that way and marry her. I value that which is practical in you and wish that you might sink it temporarily, be a bit sentimental, catch Gwen and marry her. After marriage I am sure your good sense and wisdom will hold her."

Mr Sawyer sat evidently turning something over in his mind, then assured Mrs. Martindale that, although he would be glad to win her daughter, he feared that he was too matter of fact to please her.

One day Gwen received a note which put her in a flutter. The writer declared that he had known her for some time; that he had loved her from the moment he first saw her; that he had forborne to give her the slightest inkling of his affection because he had not observed any predisposition on her part for him. He was a believer in love from the beginning. He knew the woman he wanted the moment he met her and felt sure that if she wanted him she would know him. While he would not make himself known, he could not refrain from telling her that he loved her.

In a few weeks came a second letter. In it her correspondent said that he was impelled to write to her, though he had no information of himself to communicate He had met her once since he had written the first letter, but had observed nothing in her greeting to give him any reason to think that she had chosen him as he had chosen her. Nevertheless he had a faint hope that there might be some subtle medium of transference which would enable his love to kindle its like in her.

Whether or not this medium existed, Gwen's heart went out to this unknown lover, or, rather, to a being whom she created She was troubled that he did not enable her to make even a written reply by giving her an address. But one day she received a letter in which he said that he was ill and was pining for a word from her. If he did not get it he feared for the result. An address was given, but she was assured that she would not be able, even if she desired, to trace him.

Gwen did not find the difficulty to be expected in writing a reply, because she wrote to one created by her own fancy. She did not intend to write a loving letter to an unknown man. She thought she merely expressed sympathy. But sympathy is so nearly akin to love that the expression of the one will often do for the other.

The stranger having given an address where a letter might reach him, quite a brisk correspondence sprang up between him and Gwen. She suggested that he make himself known, that if they could not be lovers they might at least be friends, and she longed to do something to show her appreciation of his preference for her. To this he replied that he was sure that when she knew which of her acquaintances he was, that he was a plain, ordinary man, she could not refrain from showing her disappointment. Nor would she believe that one she had known could have so long concealed the love buried away down in his breast.

To this she replied that such a discovery could not but interest her and might turn the scale in his favor. After much urging and the expression of many misgivings he consented to make himself known. He agreed to call upon her on a certain evening. When that evening arrived she spent much time before her glass arranging her costume, and when she heard the ring of the doorbell her heart leaped into her throat. She went downstairs, trembling with anticipation.

"Why, Ned Sawyer!"

Sawyer shrank back as though fearing she was about to cast a blight upon him.

"Can it be," Gwen added, a slight color rising in her cheeks, "that you have so long lived near me, have seen me so often and yet have been able to conceal what you have expressed in those lovely letters?"

"Oh, Gwen, tell me, are you—do you wish I had turned out to be some one else?"

"Why, Ned, do you mean to tell me that you haven't known that I?—"

He clasped her to his breast. "No; had I even suspected it I would not have wasted so much time on this confounded"—

He checked himself in time to prevent spoiling what he had accomplished.

DAYTONA

Fred Stones, foreman for the Bond Lumber company, was a Bunnell visitor between trains Monday.

Mrs. Thomas Zuber, who underwent an operation Sunday at Dr. Bohannon's hospital, is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel B. Green and Mrs. J. M. Thurber, of Patchogue, N. Y., arrived from the south Friday and were guests at the Troy hotel until Monday when they continued their journey northward. Mr. Green is editor of the Argus of Patchogue.

Alderman Rolland E. Stevens returned Friday from a visit of two weeks or more at Joliet, Ill., accompanied by his little son, "Stevie," whom he took north with him, and also by Mrs. George H. Monroe, who had been north for a month or more.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Chew, who were season guests at the Islington totel as usual this winter, but left Daytona some time ago, are making the California trip before returning to their home in Xenia, Ohio. Mr. Chew is editor of the Xenia Daily Gazette.

The Misses Celia Snook, Lucy Stiling and Helen Drew attended the Christian Endeavor convention in Jacksonville as delegates from the society of the Congregational church of this city. The young ladies left here last Friday, returning Monday.

Captain and Mrs. Clay Johnson, who had been visiting Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. I. M. Mabbette, and family at the Hamilton hotel for a few days, left Friday for their home in Kissimmee. They motored to this city and returned to Kissimmee in their car.

Lieut E. S C Parker, U. S. N., who had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas K. Parker, for about a week at the Prospect, on South Ridgewood avenue, left Friday on his return to Havana, Cuba, where he holds the position of naval advisor to the Cuban government.

J. M. Pryor, who spent last winter in Daytona and has this season been a guest of La Cross Villa, on North Ridgewood avenue, left Friday for his home in Owenton, Ky Mr. Pryor has made numerous friends here who will look forward with pleasure to his return again next winter.

R. P. Woodworth, his mother and other members of the family, who had been occupying during the season L. Adler's residence at the corner of Palmetto and Magnolia avenues, departed Thursday of last week on their return to Minneapolis, Minn. Mr. Woodworth, who is vice president of the Great Northern railway, has been here only a part of the time.

F. Ray Truman, for some time associated with the Lynn Haven Tribune, Lynn Haven, this state, was a Daytona visitor last week, attending the meeting of the Grand Chapter, O. E. S., of Florida. Mr. Truman was very much pleased with this city and the section in general, and while calling at the Daily News office stated that he looked forward to again visiting this place. Mr. Truman left Friday afternoon on his return to Lynn Haven.

Mrs. J. M. Jones, who had been in the city for a day or two, attending the Local Assembly of the Daughters of the King and enjoying a visit with friends here, some of whom she had not seen for eight years or more, returned to her home in Interlachen Friday. Mrs. Jones was given an opportunity to see the city and vicinity by means of automobile rides and noted the greatest change and improvement since her residence here eight or nine years ago.

Dr. and Mrs. Z. H. Going, who annually spends some time here during the winter and had been here through the season with Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Spring, 12 Ivy Lane, departed Saturday for their home in Chicago, Ill.

Miss E. J. Bredin, who went north recently, returned to Daytona last week, after taking a patient from Baltimore, Md., to Atlantic Beach, this state. Miss Bredin's home is in Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. Sarah Rhodes and Miss Phoebe Hoag, who had been located during the season in the Edmund Miller apartments, Palmetto avenue and Cedar street, departed Thursday of last week for their homes in Hamburg, N. Y.

Among the residents of Palatka in Daytona last week attending the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, and Grand Chapter, O. E. S. conventions were Mr. and Mrs. Louis L. Smith, Mrs. Charles Kupperbush, Miss Edith Kupperbush, Mrs. Lillian Knight and Mrs. Pierce. Mr. Smith and Mrs. Kupperbush came over in Mr. Smith's car early in the week and returned to Palatka by train Wednesday, leaving the car, which was driven back to Palatka Friday afternoon by Miss Kupperbush, who was accompanied by Mrs. Smith and their nephew, Master Louis James, Mrs. Pierce and Mrs. Knight. The party while here were at the Osborne, Mrs. Kupperbush being Mrs. Osborne's sister and Mrs. Smith and Miss Kupperbush daughters of Mrs. Kupperbush.

Miss Florence I. Small, season guest at the Magnolia hotel, departed last Thursday for her home in Oconomowoc, Wis. A number of her fellow guests at the Magnolia were at the railway station to bid Miss Small good bye.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hill enjoyed a visit from their daughter, Mrs. F. J. Trout, of Jacksonville. Mrs. Trout came to Daytona last Wednesday and remained about a week with Mr. and Mrs Hill at their winter home on San Juan avenue.

Mrs. A. H. Kling's mother and sister, Mrs. Beatty and Mrs. Stevens, who had been visiting her daughter at her home on Magnolia avenue, left last Thursday on their return to Marion, O. Mrs. King accompanied them to Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Brower, regular Daytona winter visitors and guests as usual at the Morgan hotel this season, were among the number returning north last week Mr and Mrs. Brower, who have many friends in Daytona and vicinity, are from Purling, N. Y.

Mrs. W. T. Durrett, who again this season has occupied Mrs. C. A. Roberts' residence, 364 South Beach street, departed Monday for her home in Louisville, Ky., accompanied by her niece, Miss Bradley, who had been with her for several weeks Mrs Durrett plans to come to Daytona again next winter.

Harry D Gilmore left Monday to attend a Masonic school of instruction in St Petersburg for a few days this week. He went by automobile from this city to DeLand where he expected to connect with James Carnell, of Ormond, and go with him by train to St. Petersburg. Mr Gilmore is a member of the Masonic lodge of this city, but resides at Seabreeze.

C. N. Pence and nurse, Miss Jane Bishop, who came south with Mr. Pence last fall, left Thursday of last week for Springboro, Ohio. They made the trip from this city to Jacksonville by automobile with Mr. Pence's son, H E. Pence, and other members of the family who returned to Daytona. Mr. Pence occupied during the season his winter home, 40 South Palmetto avenue.

A regular meeting of the Pinewood Cemetery association was held last Thursday afternoon in the parlors of the Bingham & Maley company store. Outside of the transaction of routine business the most important matter acted upon was the adoption of a formal application to the Daytona Beach town council for the free use of water in the cemetery which it is thought will meet with favor when it comes before that body.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carter motored to Ponce Park last Wednesday and spent the day at that place with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Demaree, who have been at the park through the season. Mr. Demaree continues to have some trouble with his left hand which was injured several weeks ago, but otherwise both he and Mrs. Demaree are enjoying their stay at Ponce Park.

F. J. Carleton, who had been here for between three and four months with his mother and sister, Mrs. Julia R. Boles and Mrs. L. C. Keech, at their home on First avenue, left Thursday of last week on his return to Charles City, Iowa. Until his visit here this winter it had been more than 20 years since Mr. Carleton had seen his mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Duff and son, J. LeRoy Duff, who spent last winter in Daytona and were located this season in Oakwood cottage, 439 Orange avenue, departed Thursday of last week on the retur nto their home in Arlington, Mass., stopping for a few days enroute at Jacksonville and Savannah. Mr. Duff and family made the trip from this city to Jacksonville in their car. They have made friends here who will look forward to their return again next winter.

Mrs. J. W. Pruitt left by train Saturday for Orlando, where she will spend a week or ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reynolds.

Messages received here Tuesday announced the serious illness at her home in Weatherford, Texas, of Mrs. Jno. F. Raper, mother of Mrs. Burton Fain, who has been spending the winter season in Daytona with her husband, who has been connected with the management of Clark's drug store since December. Dr. and Mrs. Fain had expected to return to Fort Worth, Texas, their home, about the first of May, but the latter may have to go earlier, on account of Mrs. Raper's sickness.

Mrs. C. D. Kittredge and little daughter, Mary Frances, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Peck, having come up from Ft. Lauderdale last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis, who had been occupying the Seelye bungalow on Silver Beach avenue, Daytona Beach, during the winter, departed Saturday for their home in Louisville, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Davis made many friends here during their winter's sojourn.

E H Herrick, of Bogota, N. J, who had been here through the season as usual, left Saturday on his return north for the summer. Mr. Herrick has large real estate interests at both Port Orange and Ormond and was engaged while here in putting the property upon the market.

Mrs. Mary A Jackson, proprietor of the Prospect, on South Ridgewood avenue, departed Sunday on her return to Jacksonville by automobile with Mr and Mrs. N. A. Johns, who were returning north. Mrs. Jackson in the summer conducts the Colonial Inn at New Haven on the Sound.

Arthur Blodgett, who came to Daytona two weeks or more ago from Cocoanut Grove, and had been with his parents and sister at their winter home on South Ridgewood avenue, left Saturday to resume his studies in the Lake Placid school, Lake Placid, N. Y., which winters at Cocoanut Grove.

Friends here of J. F. Schmadeke and family, of Brooklyn, N. Y., will be pleased to know that they will be in Daytona again next winter, having rented for the season, through A. E. Donnelly, the C. M. Dow residence on South Ridgewood avenue. Mr. Schmadeke and family have spent the past two seasons in this city.

Mrs. Marie Duel and daughter, Mrs. Nellie Couch, of Bridgeburg, Ontario, Canada, who had been located during the season at the Edmund Miller apartments, Palmetto avenue and Cedar street, departed Saturday for their Canadian home, stopping enroute for a time in Buffalo, N. Y. They expect to return to Daytona again next season.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus H. Rogers, who had been at the Morgan hotel for about three weeks, left Saturday for New York, enroute to their home in Mill River, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers spent the season in Havana, Cuba, and stopped over in this city where they have many friends, on their way north. They at one time owned a winter home on Bay street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Brainard and daughter, who were located during the season in Dr. P. R. Bennett's house on Orange avenue, just west of Ridgewood, departed Saturday for home in Tompkinsville, Conn. Their friends here will be pleased to know that they will return to Daytona next winter, having rented for the season, through N. Y. Boris, Miss May Jolley's house, 12 South Palmetto avenue.

Mrs. C. M. Dow, who had been here through the season, dividing her time between her Ridgewood avenue residence and her ocean beach cottage, departed Sunday to rejoin Mr. Dow at their home in Jamestown, N. Y. Mrs. Dow's sister, Mrs. A. J. Raisig, was with her most of the season and she also enjoyed a few w visit from her son, Howard Dow, wife, and several friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wallace an tle son, Leland L. Wallace, Jr, had been located during the wint a cottage at 192 First street, left day for New York. Mr. Wallace employed during the season in mechanical department of the News and Gazette-News office a well known here, having held a lar position for several seasons years ago, prior to his marriage

Mrs Ralph Atkinson and daughter, Gladys, arrived F evening from Wilkesbarre, Pa, after spending the night in this with Mrs. Atkinson's brother, Th Wetherell, and family, went to Hill to be with Mr. Atkinson's pa Mr. and Mrs. William Wetherell other daughter of Mrs. Atkinso tle Dorothy, came south with aunt, Mrs. A. V. Putten, of Holly a short time ago.

W. E. Hitchcock was a Dupon itor between trains Monday.

Geo. F. Crouch, local agent fo Canal Packet line, went up to sonville on the steamer Swan, day, expecting to return on the today.

J. H. Donnelly left Monday business trip to Philadelphia New York, expecting to be go week or more.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wines, Jr had been occupying their winter on Rowlader Place during the se departed Tuesday of last weel their northern home in Westhan Beach, Long Island, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hallock, Cedar street, went up to Dupont day afternoon to spend a few looking over that section and wi the harvesting of some of the to crop which is now being shipp

L. E. Cave and R. Jeff Yelvin of Holly Hill, went over to De Monday, having been summone serve upon the petit jury. J. B. rison of this city, who had also subpoenaed, was excused from duty.

Roscoe McLane, who went Jacksonville by train last Frida turned Monday, driving home car which he had left in Jackso and bringing back with him his and child who had been visiting tives in the state metropolis.

Harrison Rhodes, who has been for some time with his mother sister, Mrs. A. M. and Miss Mar Rhodes, at their winter home South Beach street, left Monday his return to New York. Mrs. R and daughter will remain here later.

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PRESENTMENTS OF VOLUSIA GRAND JURY TO CIRCUIT COURT

To the Honorable James W. Perkins, Judge of the Seventh Judicial circuit of Florida in and for Volusia *county:*

Your grand jury for the spring term A. D. 1915, of the circuit court of Volusia county, Florida, beg leave to report that we have finished our duties and make this final presentment:

We, as jurors, have been mindful of our oaths and have carefully looked into all matters brought before us, as our duty is, and hope that no guilty person may escape and that no innocent person may suffer.

We have carefully inspected the county jail and found that institution in perfect order and thoroughly clean in all its appointments. We found, however, that a small part of the plumbing system is defective, not being large enough to carry away the waste, and we would recommend to the court that the authorities who have charge of these matters be directed to make such changes as will make said plumbing system perfectly sanitary.

We have also inspected the poor house and would recommend that there be provided for that institution 3 screen doors, 2 screen windows, 1 linen closet and a deep well pump, the present pump being entirely inadequate.

The county offices we found in excellent order and entirely satisfactory.

We wish to thank the Court, his honor, James W. Perkins, and all officers of the court for their assistance in all matters required of them; and especially do we desire to express our appreciation of the unfailing courtesies and efficient assistance rendered by our state's attorney, the Honorable Joseph H. Jones, during our deliberations.

All of which we respectfully submit and now ask that if it is the pleasure of the Court, we be discharged for the term.

R. J. BISHOP, Foreman.
GEO. E. ACKROYD, Clerk.

Slavery Originated in the East.

Absolute slavery seems to have appeared in the eastern colonies somewhat earlier than in the southern, for slavery existed in New York in 1628, in New Jersey in 1628, in Massachusetts in 1630, in Connecticut in 1631 and in Delaware in 1636. There was a statutory recognition of slavery in Massachusetts in 1641, which was considerably ahead of such recognition of slavery in Virginia or Maryland.

Danger of Lockjaw in Felt.

That commercial gelatin, charcoal and other substances useful in medicine and surgery may contain the germs of lockjaw is well known. Quite recently it was found that felt so commonly used in orthopedic retentive dressings may also contain these germs in abundance. Two patients who had been treated at a German hospital lost their lives as a result of infection from the felt plates used to make a retention support.

Wrong Position for Sleep.

Sleep cannot knit up the raveled sleeve of care or do any other reparative knitting, if the head is bent sharply to an acute angle with the collar joints. Frequently men and women who have slept in this supposedly objectionable fashion for years and years suddenly lose the capacity for sleep with no new discoverable reason. It is difficult to convince them that the elasticity and resiliency of youth has heretofore made up for their lifelong awkward pose.

Chauvinism.

A chauvinist is one who is absurdly jealous of his country's honor or puffed up with an exaggerated sense of national glory. The words "chauvinist" and "chauvinism" are taken from the name of Nicolas Chauvin, a soldier of Napoleon, who was so notorious for his exaggerated and demonstrative devotion to the imperial cause that he was caricatured on the stage, and his name came to stand for all people who work mischief by their unreasoning, irascible and vainglorious patriotism.

Wily Chinese.

A friend of mine, says a correspondent of the London Chronicle, has just returned from a remote part of China, where he has been laying a railway. He tells me the big difficulty was the graves of Chinamen, over which, of course, no railway is supposed to run. At the outset it looked as if his line, in avoiding these, would become "straighter than a corkscrew, but not so straight as a rainbow." Then he conceived the notion of buying up graves that lay on the coming line of route. The wily Chinese were equal to him, for they dug up the bones of their ancestors and planted them ahead, right in the line of advance. My friend fears that often he paid three times for the same old bones; but ultimately he completed the railway, which now runs in a fairly straight line, except for the first mile or two.

EYES OF THE BLIND

By JOHN CAMERON.

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Everybody in Erpingham pitied Dorothy Lee. She was a sweet girl, and it was agreed that it was a great pity she was so homely.

"It ain't a fair handicap," said old Mrs. Howell, who kept the post office. "It's hard enough for a girl to get married in New England, anyway, but with her looks—I say it ain't fair."

Dorothy's father probably indorsed this view, but the hard-headed old farmer was too practical a man to worry about his daughter's looks. Dorothy lived alone with him, her mother being dead. What she thought on the subject she never disclosed. She must have known, however, that there was a reason why she was always a wall-flower at parties and was never invited on picnics and such festivities.

When she was twenty-five Tom Lanark came home after an absence of six years in the West.

Fabulous stories preceded him. He had found a gold mine in Nevada, one of the richest in the world, it was said, and the glare of the sun on the alkali plains had seared his eyeballs until he could only distinguish light from darkness. So he had come back at thirty, to resume life—no, not to resume it, but to take up its burden alone in the old house that had given him birth.

Margaret Barnett had been an old flame of Tom's in the bygone days. But if there was any idea that she would link her life to a blind man's Margaret, who was "running" with the banker's son, dismissed it promptly.

"I want a live one when I get married," she said. And Dorothy witnessed a snubbing which Margaret administered to Tom in the street, in front of her house.

She saw the blind man trying to peer after the girl whose shrill, scornful laughter echoed through the quiet street, and an excess of pity overcame her shrinking, and she hurried out.

"Mr. Lanark," she said quickly, conscious that her words were almost beyond her control, "I am Dorothy Lee. Don't you remember me?"

Tom Lanark felt for her hands and took them in his. "Indeed I do," he answered warmly. "I have often thought of you since I have been away."

"I think it was a shame the way Margaret Barnett spoke to you," declared Dorothy indignantly.

"Ah, well, one lives and finds out these things," replied the blind man wearily.

After that Tom fell into the habit of dropping into the old farmer's place of an afternoon, and on one occasion he actually drove up in a buggy.

"I thought I'd ask you to come for a drive with me, Miss Dorothy," he explained. "I was sure I knew the way down the street to here, and that you'd do the rest—if you are willing to do an act of kindness for a blind man."

"O, I should love to go driving with you," the girl answered. She ran upstairs to change her frock, and, five minutes later, the village was speculating over the appearance of Dorothy and Tom, driving down the road into the country and chatting as merrily as though they were old friends—which, indeed, they might have been called.

But during the return Dorothy became very pensive. For she knew that her heart had turned very strongly in the direction of the blind man, and that he, too, as her woman's instinct told her, was by no means indifferent to her.

And when they neared the town he suddenly placed his arm around her and drew her toward him.

"Do you think you can ever learn to care for a blind man, Dorothy?" he asked.

It was a tremulous figure, shrinking and nerved only by intense resolution, that went to Tom's door that night, fearful of discovery by the prying eyes of the town, yet spurred on by the sense of tremendous necessity. And, after she had knocked, she could hardly make her knees support her, and clung to the door-jamb for support.

The door opened. Tom peered out. Then:

"I can't marry you," the girl was sobbing wildly. "You have never seen me as I am, Tom You don't know—"

"Don't know what, dear?" asked Tom's quiet voice. She felt his hands on her shoulders, but she could not see him through the gathering tears.

"I am the homeliest girl in Erpingham," cried Dorothy. "If ever you saw me you would be ashamed of me, Tom. And I can't marry you and not let you know; and I can't marry you and let you be ashamed of me."

She was beyond all self-control. She was weeping in his arms. She heard Tom's voice between his kisses.

"Dorothy, you are the prettiest girl in Erpingham, and it wouldn't make any difference to me anyway," he said, "because I love you. Now I will tell you something, dear. I am not quite so blind as people think—in fact the doctor says that in a few months more I may see as well as ever. Sometimes a man may pretend to be blind, Dorothy, in order to know his real friends from his false ones."

"How pretty Dorothy Lee has grown since her engagement to Tom Lanark," said the gossips later.

And all agreed that she made the sweetest bride that ever came out of Erpingham—all but Margaret Barnett, who was no longer "running" with the banker's son.

MISS ALICE GERSTENBERG

One of the youthful and extremely promising novelists and dramatists is Miss Alice Gerstenberg. After spending three years at Bryn Mawr college she decided that she wanted some "real work," as she sincerely put it, and launched into the literary field. As an author Miss Gerstenberg is not unknown to the American public, her "Unquenched Fire" and "The Conscience of Sarah Platt" having been favorably received.

In the dramatic field Miss Gerstenberg is known to the theater-goers by her "Alice in Wonderland" and the "Model Maid."

With all these activities in the literary field Miss Gerstenberg finds time to belong to many clubs in her home city, Chicago. Still she is the most modest and unassuming little person in the world.

HOW THE KAISER APPEARS

Correspondent Writes Pen Picture of Emperor as He Saw Him at Front.

Berlin.—A pen picture of the kaiser appears in the Kreuz-Zeitung from its war correspondent with the German troops in Poland, who says: "The kaiser appeared with General Mackensen, and passed along in front of the officers and troops. I had not seen him since the time when at the beginning of the war he spoke to the crowd from the balcony of the castle in Berlin.

"For one moment I had formed the impression that he had become terribly gray in the campaign. That, however, was an error, which arose from the fact that his head protector, which he was wearing owing to the extremely cold weather, was gray.

"The supreme war lord appears, on the contrary, extraordinarily fresh and elastic, even though the seriousness of these last months has left marks on his features, and a certain bitterness which formerly was not present comes into his voice when he speaks.

"When I saw him I could not help thinking of the kaiser parade in 1895 on the Spandau drill ground. How brilliant he then looked, how forceful, how confident in the future and victory!"

AUSTRIAN BAR IN PROTEST

Object to Restraining Refugee Lawyers of Galicia and Bukowina From Practicing.

Vienna.—A committee of the Austrian Bar association has recently drawn up a vigorous protest against the enactments of the government restraining the refugee lawyers of Galicia and Bukowina from the practice of their profession in lower Austria. The representations of the committee, which has behind it not only the prominent lawyers of Vienna, but of all the Austrian crownlands, received instant and hearty indorsement from the bar. The Austrian Bar association repudiated all sympathy with the illiberal policy of the state authorities, and by a three-quarters vote of its members, put itself on record against the proceedings disbarring its colleagues from Galicia and Bukowina. Public opinion, too, keenly alive to the fact that the government is imposing disabilities on a part of its population which is suffering for its sake, is in emphatic accord with the stand of the lawyer's committee.

"SOLOMON" ENDS BABY CASE

This Time in Person of New York Lawyer—He Foregoes the Sword.

New York.—May a child be held for board unpaid?

The question was asked of Magistrate Barlow, when Mrs. May Berghard, whose baby was born last August, summoned to court Mrs. Minnie Curtis because she had refused to give up the child until Mrs. Berghard paid $10 arrears of board for the baby.

On consulting the court Bible, Magistrate Barlow, in emulation of King Solomon in a similar case, glanced about for the state sword which should have been behind his chair. The court stenographer had taken it away to sharpen his pencil, and in default of anything bigger than a paper cutter Magistrate Barlow threw biblical instructions to the winds, and gave the child back to its mother.

BUNKOED BY A GREEK

By M. QUAD

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The pair of us had been in Athens three or four days when a party of English excursionists who were making a tour arrived. Among them was an antiquary who was looked up to and respected for his knowledge of ancient history and ruins.

Professor Himstead, as he was named, had been charged to pick up all the old Greek manuscripts to be had for money, and it was his inquiries for such documents that doubtless led to our undoing. One day a man named Talanti, who had somewhat the manners and dress of a gentleman, brought the professor two ancient manuscripts as a present, and to show his further good will he announced a valuable discovery which had just been made on the island of Aegina, about forty miles distant. He was the owner of the island, and while his workmen were getting out some stone they had come across some rare treasures in art, but had developed only a small portion of them. They had partly uncovered a stone box which he believed held a large number of manuscripts and valuable coins, but he had delayed the opening of it that some of his friends might be present. Three or four of them were going to his island home tomorrow, and he would be glad to have on his yacht as many of us foreigners go along as could make it convenient.

Aside from the English party, there were Americans, Germans and Frenchmen to the number of twenty in Athens, and when the list was made up we numbered over forty, of whom ten were ladies. When we went on board there was considerable surprise at finding her the craft she was. She was nothing more than a trader, and her accommodations were of a primitive character.

My friend the professor could speak Greek, but when he entered into conversation with Mr. Talanti's friends he found them sulky enough. This excited our surprise, as they were supposed to be gentlemen. When we came to look them over we began to get a little suspicious.

As we approached the island we saw it was fairly covered with trees, yet it did not have a hospitable look. As we made a close approach we could see a couple of rude huts and a primitive jetty, but Mr. Talanti explained that his castle was hidden by the forest and that he was landing at that point to save us a long walk.

As soon as the craft was made fast the three eminent friends of Mr. Talanti suddenly produced pistols and knives and took their station by the gangway. The sailors divided into two parties, and, handling their naked knives in a menacing fashion, they drove the people into line.

When Professor Himstead had rubbed his eyes, scratched his head and got it into his brain that something not down on the program was going on Talanti mounted a box and smilingly observed:

"Ladies and gentlemen, you are now about to pass ashore to behold my wonderful discoveries, but each one of you is required to leave all money and jewelry behind you. I will see that everything is safely cared for!"

The men cried out in anger, but what could they do? I do not think there was a firearm among them, while the Greeks seemed overanxious to use their knives. There were protestations and threats of the law, but Talanti only smiled at them and ordered the work to go on. Each man in the crowd was regularly held up—that is, his pockets were thoroughly searched and everything of value taken. The women were requested to hand over, and each one had her watch and rings in hand as she moved up. In the course of half an hour every one was ashore, and then Talanti took off his hat, made a sweeping bow and sailed away with his piratical crew. He had no sooner gone than half a dozen villainous looking men came down from the hut.

They told us they were fishermen, but their actions belied their statement. Their first move was to demand cash, and great was their indignation and disappointment at being told that Talanti's crowd had taken the last coin. When sure of this they left us, and an hour later two genuine fishermen came ashore in their boat. There were a dozen vessels within five or six miles of us, and a dollar would have been big pay for them to go out and notify the nearest one of our situation; but, realizing our helplessness, they demanded the sum of $100.

It was almost dark when a battered old schooner came sailing up to take us off, and the terms were $2 a piece, to be paid in Athens. We spent a dreary night on deck and landed in the city at noon next day. Immediately notice was given to the various consuls and to the Greek government, but no one had any faith that anything would be accomplished. The government made loud promises and seemed to be making all possible efforts; but, as a matter of fact, Mr. Talanti was not even pursued. He never could have put up such a job without a number of officials standing in with him, and each and every one of them doubtless shared in the plunder when it was divided. It was said that the money and jewelry amounted to about $6,000, and the only consolation any of the victims had was the privilege of abusing a country where such things could be carried out.

BIGGEST WARSHIP MAY NOT LONG HOLD THAT DISTINCTION

WASHINGTON, April 21. — The United States superdreadnaught, Pennsylvania, launched by the Newport Shipbuilding company a few weeks ago, when completed, will be the largest and most powerful fighting machine afloat.

How long will she hold that title? From present indications, not long. Already ordnance experts are beginning to think in larger units. When the keel of Uncle Sam's next superdreadnaught is laid, the belief now is that there will be included in her equipment a new feature.

This new feature promises to revolutionize the marine ordnance of the United States navy and will be the biggest step yet taken in the perfecting of the superdreadnaught type of battleship.

It is the new type of naval gun, 16-inch calibre—greater by one inch than the much-heralded guns of the powerful British superdreadnaught of the Queen Elizabeth class.

Experiments with this type of gun are, and for some time have been, underway by the ordnance officers at the naval proving grounds at Indian Head, Md.

The United States navy for years has religiously adhered to the 14-inch gun. They thought it filled the bill in all respects and didn't want any other. But the European war has taught lessons and the value of large calibre guns is one of them.

So successful have the experiments proven, thus far, that it is confidently predicted that the ordnance officers of the navy department will recommend the installation of this type of gun on the two dreadnaughts authorized by the last congress.

Should this style of equipment be extended also to the dreadnaughts California, Idaho and Mississippi, authorized last year, a complete division of 16-inch gun battleships would be available. This would make the most formidable unit afloat.

All tests of this type of weapon are carefully guarded, but it is said that the new gun is about forty-eight feet long and the weight of the projectile hurled is approximately 2,000 pounds.

A vessel mounting a full complement of these guns for its main battery—four turrets of three guns each—could hurl a broadside of about 24,000 pounds, or twelve tons.

This is about 10,400 pounds more than a broadside from the eight 15-inch guns of the British superdreadnaught Queen Elizabeth.

It is the work of this ship that the experts here are watching with the utmost care and the effectiveness of her ordnance will go a great way toward deciding the difference now existing between the two schools of naval armament.

Wonderful Cuban Caves.

The wonderful caves of Bellamar, Cuba, to the east of Havana, attract the attention of the ambitious tourist. They are on a plateau as level as a table top, which presents no signs of the existence of such caves. After descending into the earth, however, a picture unfolds itself. Then come many passages, and at last the great "Gothic temple," 250 feet long and 80 feet wide.

Probably Mamma Knew.

Little Elsie—"My papa's a minister, and that is best." Little Grace—"My papa's a lawyer, and that's best, too." Little Elsie—"No, your papa is not a really lawyer; he just practices law. But my papa is a really minister, because he just preaches and never practices. My mamma says so."—Judge.

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NEW YORK DAY BY DAY

What is the matter with the modern woman's dress?

1. Her skirt, long, heavy and insufficiently full, makes her waste energy with every step.

2. Her corset prevents her from bending or sitting easily, and interferes with deep breathing.

3. Her shoes, by balancing her badly, injure the spinal column, and torture her nerves by unnatural compression of the foot.

4. Her frocks take too long in the making and in the adjustment, and they cost too much.

5. Her entire costume is designed to satisfy the commercial instincts of men, rather than the wearers' desire for comfort and beauty.

Right on the heels of the Easter fashion parade comes Rose O'Neill's ingenious indictment of Dame Fashion Herself. Miss O'Neill, as New York's most notable woman artist, has consented to serve on the Polymurell Prize committee, which is to award the prize of $150 offered by Mrs. Mildred Johnstone Landone for the best design of a universal dress for women. The winning Polymurell must be characterized by simplicity, comfort; beauty and durability. The contest is open until midnight, May 31, and all designs are to be sent to the committee, at No. 528 Riverside Drive.

"I cannot see how women can do housework wearing a long, cumbersome skirt and stiff steel corset without completely exhausting themselves. Every step they take in sweeping a room involves energy wasted in pushing the skirt forward. Every time they bend down to pick up a pin they must suffer hurt and strain. I do not believe that the corset does any woman any good, and I think it is the source of physical harm to many.

"Women's clothes cost so much in pain, in time, in money and in worry. First, there is the making of the dress. If the woman goes to a tailor or dressmaker she must stand long hours for her fittings. If she tries to do the work herself she must sew for long laborious hours. Then there are the precious minutes wasted in adjusting all its complicated fastenings for which assistance must be asked from husband, maid or the woman in the next apartment. The financial outlay is too large, because the arbitrarily changing fashion says the dress must be thrown away before it is worn out. And then the worry of the whole process is to be endured anew.

"The Greek robes are delightful for house wear," she said, "but for the street we need something more crisp. We might have a design with long full trousers and back. We might have bloomers and a knee length skirt. Whatever the costume, I think it should clothe a woman in every position she may assume, as a small child is clothed in a suit of rompers.

"A woman should dress on the street so she can climb a ladder or turn a summersault."

Starling Unpopular Bird.

Starlings are not liked in Australia, according to reports from the American consul at Melbourne. Besides being destructive to fruit, they are charged with turning valuable insect eating birds out of their nests.

REAL ESTATE DEALS ALL OVER THE COUNTY

WARRANTY DEEDS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS RECORDED IN OFFICE OF CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT.

DELAND, April 21.—The following instruments affecting property in Volusia county have been recorded in the office of the clerk of the circuit court, the transfers being reported especially for this paper by the Abstract company:

Warranty Deeds —

Barney Dillard and Alice G. Dillard to Barney Dillard, Jr., S½ of N½ of SW¼ and NW¼ of SE¼ of SE¼ of SW¼ of section 22, township 15, range 28.

John F. Morrisey and Marie J. Morrisey to James Haight, part lot 4, block 1, Mary Hoag's sub of lot 1, section 9, township 15, range 33.

James Haight and Hester A. Haight to L. Willard Jaycox, part lot 4, block 1, Mary Haog's sub. of lot 1, section 9, township 15, range 33.

Thomas M. H. Zuber and Evelyn Zuber to Fannie Zuber, east 160 feet of N½, lot 4, block 64, Hodgman's Daytona.

Julia L. Lawrence and Jay F. Lawrence to James E. Alexander, east 6 chains of west 15.12 chains of SW¼ of SE¼ of section 13, township 17, range 30.

H. C. Longstreet and Harriet M. Longstreet to Harold E Vrooman, lots 1 and 2, in block 2, Longstreets revised sub of lots 5 and south 100 feet of lot 6, block 1, Alden sub. of Walker grant, Coronado.

Henry T. V. Law to George W. Watts, part block 4, Greene's addition to Daytona, being a sub. of lots 11, 12 and 13, block 53, Mason & Coleman's addition to Daytona.

Clark G. Smith and Mary E. Smith to Mary E. Smith, lot 11, block 19, Horn's sub of block 19, Memento, and block 18, Rogers Seabreeze

Horace Pullen and Bertha May Pullen to Joe C. Guinn et al, W½ of N½, tract 9, block 4, section 7, township 18, range 33.

Theodore Carter and J Lena Carter to Nettie Clark Wilcox, S½ of E 2-3, lot 11, block 8, Seabreeze.

E J. Shattuck to Isaac Powell, lot 14, block 2, Sams' sub. of lot 11, Model Land Company's sub. of New Smyrna.

Amelious Sauner and Ida J. Sauner to J. Wesley Johnson, lot 2, sub. of lots 1 and 2, and 3, block 61, Higbee's Daytona.

Amelious Sauner and Ida J. Sauner to Frank Dittman, lot 1, of sub of lots 1 and 2, and 3, block 61, Higbee's Daytona.

W. F. Baker and Mary E. Baker to Indian Springs Land Co., tract 11, block 2; tract 2, block 3, all in section 18, township 18, range 33.

Maggie Reese to H. N James, east 50 feet of west 300 feet, lot one, block 1, Daytona.

John B. Odum and Florida L. Odum to Lawson Magruder and A. M. Detrick, lots 106 and 107, Phippen's Eastmont addition to DeLand.

Charles M. McNary to Sidney Ford, part of Grant lots 7½ and 8, in Ormond.

Volusia Development Company to Winona E. McMillan, lot 1, block Z, American Land Company's sub of south 900 acres of Addison Grant, being part section 40, township 13.

E. W. Greene and E. C. R. Greene to Laurence Thompson, block 2, Greene's 3rd sub. in Daytona, being a sub. of lot 10, block 2, Ludwig's sub of lot 1, blockfl 31, Hodgman's Daytona.

Chester L. Clifton and Nannie L. Clifton to George B. Laird et al, north 100 feet of land in block 28, Holly Hill.

Nellie Scull and Isaac Scull to Charles Moore, SW¼ of NE¼ of SW ¼, section 27, township 17, range 30.

I. C. Hughes to J. W. Wade, E½ of W½ of SW¼ of SE¼ of section 28, township 14, range 28.

HUGE SAWFISH SEEN AT CENTRAL BRIDGE SATURDAY

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

Saturday morning a colored woman reported to C. H. Pellecier and Capt. Luther Willin and their wives at the toll house on the Central bridge that a huge sawfish, apparently dead, was lying in the shoal water inshore between the bridge and the seawall of the Orange Island park subdivision. They were unable just then to go and see the fish and shortly thereafter it was noticed by Carl Sparks, who went to the toll house to borrow an axe and coil of rope, with the purpose of securing the saw from the fish. Mr. Sparks waded out to the big fish and met with a surprise when on taking hold of it it suddenly developed a rapid action with its weapon that caused him to beat a hasty retreat to a place of safety, while the sawfish made its way to deep water and escaped. The fish is said by those who saw it to have been between 12 and 15 feet in length, with a saw five or six feet long.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Quitclaim Deeds —

George E. Spear, administrator estate of Thomas R. Spear, to George E. Spear, south 43 feet of west 55 feet, lot 4; south 43 feet, lot 5; south 135 feet, lot 6, and south 135 feet of east 16 2-3 feet, lot 7, block 13, DeLand.

Marriage Licenses —

Eugene Holmer and Essie Gilbert, both of DeLand.

Henry Townsend and Sarah Clark, New Smyrna.

Otha Hoskins and Edna Bishop, both of Enterprise.

Chancery Suits —

Alice Smith vs. Joe Smith—Divorce.

Mary J. Taylor vs. Frank R. Taylor—Divorce.

Probate Proceedings —

Last will and testament of Azuba Stewart admitted to probate and record and letters testamentary thereon issued to Howard P. Stewart.

Letters of administration on estate of Gertrude Thompson issued to Rosa Wilbur.

Letters of administration on estate of Emory E. Baldwin issued to Emma Mitchell.

Petition and order for no administration on estate of T. J. Baker.

THE GRAND CHAPTER O. E. S. EXEMPLIFIES LOCAL CHAPTER WORK

AT AFTERNOON SESSION CHARTERS WERE GRANTED TO EIGHT NEW CHAPTERS—EXEMPLIFICATION WORK.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

The early part of last Thursday afternoon's session, Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star of Florida was devoted to the reports of the Grand Secretary, the Grand Treasurer and the Grand Chaplain. Following the reading of these reports the Grand Chapter enjoyed a vocal solo, "The Lord is My Shepherd," by Mrs. Lillian Adams, of Jacksonville Chapter No. 15.

In the memorial service the song, "Face to Face," was led by Mrs. W. H. Marshall, of Ft. Lauderdale Chapter No. 59.

The memorial service was followed by the reports of the standing committees, the fraternal correspondent and the Florida correspondent.

Charters were granted to new chapters in Blountstown, Seffner, Leesburg, Avon Park, Starke, Bradentown, Palmetto, and Trilby, and a dispensation was continued to Lake View chapter at Compass Lake. The representatives of five of these eight chapters were present and the charters were presented to them by Grand Patron Irving E. Webster, of Gainesville.

The session of the Grand Chapter Thursday evening consisted principally of the exemplification work of a model subordinate chapter by the grand officers, with a candidate for Live Oak chapter, No. 1, of Daytona, and a candidate for Madeleine B. Conklin Chapter No. 16, of DeLand.

The exemplification of work was followed by a short program of entertainment, which included a vocal solo by Mrs. W. H. Marshall, a tableau, "Heroines of the Order," by the grand officers, and a solo, "A Little Pink Rose," by Mrs. Emily E. Jeffries, of Eureka Chapter, No. 5, of St. Petersburg. Light refreshments were served at the close of the session.

A feature of the forenoon session Thursday was the reception of a distinguished guest in the person of Mrs. Sadie M. Quigley, Past Grand Matron of Kentucky.

The session of the Grand Chapter held this forenoon was devoted to the reports of committees and the election of officers which resulted as follows:

Grand Matron, Mrs. Lulu M. Scott, Fort Meade; Grand Patron, Claude E. Connor, Ocala; Grand Secretary, A. H. Carter, Holly Hill; Grand Treasurer, Mrs. Cora R. Franz, Jacksonville; Associate Grand Matron, Mrs. Alice H. Haskell, Palatka; Associate Grand Patron, Silas B. Wright, DeLand; Grand Conductress, Mrs. Sarah A. Harris, Quincy; Associate Grand Conductress, Mrs. Corrie W. Harris, Tampa.

An Englishwoman "Soldier."

The most famous Englishwoman "soldier" was Dr. James Barry, who joined the medical corps in 1813 and served at Waterloo and in Crimea. In 1858, after many promotions, she became inspector general, and it was not until many years later that the fact that she was a woman was discovered.

BASEBALL AT FRONT

Americans in Foreign Legion Want National Game.

Volunteers From the United States With the French Army Get the Fever at Deceptive Sign of Spring.

Paris.—The correspondent of New York Sun with the Foreign Legion at the front writes:

A postcard came from Torcie saying that he is acting as mechanic for an American aviator with the fifteenth squadron of the royal flying corps at Farnsborough, England. He adds that he has been granted ten days' vacation and received $10 advance pay and that the feeding is fine, especially the ham and eggs.

Fred Stone, a New Yorker, has been wounded by shrapnel while on sentinel duty in the trenches at the town of ——. Two bullets entered his body, but Dr. Van Vorst, who attended him, assured us he was all right.

A later letter says:

This is my birthday. Heavy snow has fallen. Strange, for only yesterday as we were on our way to the shooting trenches from the sugar refinery on the canal, where we had all taken hot shower baths, I was thinking of writing to ask you to send us a baseball outfit. Spring was in the air, and everything was beautiful, so no wonder we all got baseball fever.

Many of the Americans here are college men. There are at least three in the rear and thirteen here. We had 14, but Carstairs is gone, Rockwell is in the hospital at Mont Meriel. Olinger is at the depot at Orleans, and so is Collins, who is still ill. Narwich has just joined us again with some others who have come to fill our ranks. Ganson is also at Orleans. Casey has gone for an eight-day rest.

You may think the idea of baseball here is crazy, but why not? The English play football in the rear of the lines. Do not forget that this war is the most remarkable war in many other ways than its size. It has been pointed out often enough that the firing line is 200 miles in length, but not much attention has been paid to its width. Its depth is so comparatively insignificant that we can play ball if we will when out of the trenches. Of course shells fall in this village where I am writing, where we rest, but we can go another half mile or so to the rear and be entirely out of the danger zone. People are living there again as before the war. They hear the distant roar of cannon, but the noise becomes a habit. Anyone who wants a fine reproduction of the front when firing is going on—not a battle but the ordinary firing—has only to go to some big construction work in New York, where he will hear exactly what we hear every day.

The blasting imitates the cannon, the hammer striking the steel girder gives the rifle shot, a steel girder when dropped reproduces a cannon fire effect, especially through the vibrations caused. But the most remarkable imitation is the hydraulic hammer, that contrivance with which a workman bores holes in steel. This instrument exactly imitates a machine gun in action. If I ever get back to to New York I shall jump whenever I hear one.

RIVAL TO "TWILIGHT SLEEP"

In "Sunrise Slumber" Patient Is Conscious, But Feels No Pain.

Columbus, O. — "Twilight sleep," hailed as a godsend to women, has a rival. It is known as "sunrise slumber," the latest in painless childbirth. It was originated here by Dr. C. T. Turner, obstetrical expert at Mount Carmel hospital, and Dr. W. I. Jones, anesthetist.

The new method is not in its infancy. This fact is emphasized by 15 Columbus mothers, who proclaim its virtues, these doctors say. The new treatment differs from "twilight sleep" in that nitrous oxide, commonly known as "laughing gas," is used, and it does not aim to produce complete anesthesia. The patient, it is said, is able to converse and receive impressions, but feels no pain.

MUSTACHE IS REAL BEAUTY

Life Guardsman Dies Curling Hirsute Adornment of His Upper Lip.

"One man of the Life Guards was very particular about his apearance," says Trooper Walter Dale, now at Newcastle-on-Tyne, "and even in war time always carried a little hand mirror with him. I happened to pass him on the field when he had been badly wounded. There he lay, with the glass in his hand, curling his mustache.

"I had to pass on that time, but the next journey we intended to take him to the hospital. It was too late. He was dead and his glass was still clutched in his hand. His mustache had been curled till it was a beauty."

1½-Pound Baby Lives in Oven.

Sharon, Pa.—A baby daughter weighing one and one-half pounds was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. William Newell of Cedar street. The parents are of normal build. Newell is a carpenter. In lieu of an incubator the parents are endeavoring to develop the baby in the oven of the kitchen range.

PORT ORANGE

PORT ORANGE, April 21.— Mrs. John Halter left for th in Napoleon, Ohio, on Thursd

Mrs. Cynthia Emery and h Mrs. Vanette, who spent th here and started on the 5th their home in Skelton, Oh there on the night of the 15 the effects of la grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Suppes morning for their home in So Illinois.

W. C. Stevens, formerly o ville, Wis., but who has been winter, has purchased the Ch pes property, Orange and Du Mr. Stevens is planning to m winter home here, being ver pleased with the climate an The townspeople are gratifi the promise of Mr. and Mrs. as residents. Mr. and Mrs. are planning to make their Allandale, where they have t dation of a home laid.

David Stubbleton, who has tending the Daytona high sch accepted a position on a sto near Springfield, Ohio, and ter upon his duties at onc best wishes of his friends him.

Capt. "Ligé" McDonald has gasoline yawl "Darling," to J Sipes, of Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brellsf on their way home to Paris, O

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, who ha ments at Mr. Brellsford's, left pany with the latter, on their their home in Troy, Ohio.

Leon W. Sparkman has equipped Archie McDonald's cycle with an "Eclipse" tw rear wheel, one of the first in tion, and it seems to work very making slower speed and mor available in deep sand and needed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Burge Thomas Burgess started on for their home at Woodhull,

The Port Orange Literary brary association under the a tration of its able and efficien of officers, is making itself a factor in bringing the home and winter residents, tourist visitors together socially, an vating a taste for the purest, elevating and fascinating in liter

The meetings of the asso have been uniformly interestin ful and inspiring, broadenin views of the members to take wider scope, the best things able. In dealing with associati ters the members have man abilities of no mean order.

In their "cleaning up day, members showed their sympat and set their approval on, an impetus to having a cleaner, and more progressive town.

On their "guest day," the was drawn aside and friends to come and participate in one many mental feasts of good th lavishly provided. Thus invitin guests to become more closel ciated with them in striving tain to the higher things of lif

Though the last official meet the association for the season held on the 8th inst., a farewe nic was held on Saturday Ridgewood hall. A number members have gone north and were unable to be present, members and guests sat down bles crowded with choice which under the influence of go lowship, were partaken of wit The store of food was so abu that the proposition to come and have supper found a willi sponse. Nearly all accepted were present at the evening and after all had partaken, s baskets (empty or with dishes some fragments remained. Ma club long prosper and repeat th program.

Mr. and Mrs. Renney are le for their home in Verona, Ill.

The Good Times Club met last at the homes of Mesdames Scot Stover, South Riverview, on Tu afternoon. This week they are tained by Mrs. Cory, Dunlawton Lafayette street.

The reception given at the P George hotel, Daytona, last We day evening, by the grand office the O. E. S., to members and vis was attended by Mrs. Cory, Needham, Mrs. Renny, Mrs. and Mrs. Howland. These ladies, Mrs. Agnes M. Smith and Wi Cory, also attended the Grand ter Thursday.

A cement crossing, donated D. E. Lyon, is being put down a Orange street on the south sid Dunlawton avenue.

A bicycle shed for the prote of the pupils' wheels is being ere on the school grounds.

Important Accessory, Anyhow.

The automobile people to the trary notwithstanding, the best sp ing device continues to be a sofa, the lights turned low.—Judge.

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Seabreeze and Daytona Beach

SEABREEZE.

SEABREEZE, April 17. — Mr. and Mrs Robt. C. Waterson gave a farewell party to several of their friends Tuesday evening at their winter home on North Halifax avenue, which turned out one of the jolliest impromptu occasions of this season. It is told that the dignified mayor of Seabreeze no less than his honor, L. W. Lott, developed wonderful ability as interlocutor, and Mr. Waterson shone with no less splendor as high comedian. The efforts of the entertainers brought forth peals after peals of merry laughter, and the evening will be long remembered as one of the merriest of all by those who gathered at the hospitable home. Vocal and instrumental music contributed to the pleasures of the evening. Light refreshments were enjoyed. Miss Pierson, at the solicitation of the company gave for the closing number "A Perfect Day," and the season adieus were said to those who left the following day on their way north, after all had joined in singing Auld Lang Syne.

To the gratification of his congregation, Rev. Elmer Willis Serl has been able to so arrange his appointments that he can remain over in Seabreeze until May 1st. In consepnence, services will be held at the Tourist church Sunday morning, as usual

The most encouraging report comes from Dr A. T. Bigelow, ex-mayor, who has been at Dr. Klock's hospital for ten days or more. It is quite likely that Dr Bigelow will be well enough to come home by Saturday.

Mrs Ruby, who has been at New Smyrna with Major and Mrs. Abercrombie for several months, came home last week and is with Mrs. Bigelow in the doctor's absence

Mrs Tincher and her little son, John, who have been with their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Abell, in her home on North Halifax avenue all winter, left Thursday for Washington, D C, and points in New Jersey, to visit relatives, enroute to their home in Danville, Ill Mrs Tincher's maid accompanied them to Jacksonville, to go from there directly to Danville, Ill

C S Coryell, whose family left last Saturday on their return to Toronto, Canada, decided to remain sometime longer, and is guest at the home of Mr and Mrs R C. Waterson, on North Halifax avenue.

Mrs E P. Stenglo, proprietor of the Geneva, went up to Jacksonville Wednesday morning with Mrs. Bell Cavin and her mother, Mrs. Gunther, the latter of whom has been quite ill at the Geneva for several weeks, but was able to start on her return trip to Owensboro, Ky.

A large number of guests of the Princess Issena left Saturday on their return north. However, business has kept up there splendidly there still being 50 in the hotel at this time.

The social season at the Princess Issena waxed very gay toward the end For the past two weeks or more, boat parties, putting parties, automobile parties and card parties have followed in quick succession, and although the number has lessened the spirit of pleasure is none the less in evidence.

Mr and Mrs. George Dillon leave the latter part of the week on their return to Pittsfield, Mass., after a four months' stay at the Princess Issena.

Mrs. C. F. Burgman and sons, Jerome and Leo, and guests of the Seminole Lodge, Mrs. Howard Stanton and daughter, and Mrs S. Elvin and Miss Marie Zulich joined the excursionists on the Southland for a trip to the Tomoka Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs Lewis Williams, of Richfield, N. Y., who have been spending the eason at New Samyrna, are at the Geneva for the week.

Among other recent arrivals at the Geneva are Mrs. J. Oran and two daughters of Toronto, who came up from Miami this week, and D. M. Shipley and wife, of Shiloh Springs, N Y.

Mr. and Mrs. H G. Wells closed their winter home on Earl street Monday and left to spend the summer in Malden, Ill Mr and Mrs. Wells left earlier than usual this spring on account of business matters. Mr. Wells has disposed fo his farm and will build a new bungalow home in Malden Mr. and Mrs. Wells are very active in church work Mr. Wells is Sunday school superintendent and one of the trustees of the Tourist church. Their numerous friends here would like to see them become all-the-year-round residents of Seabreeze

B F Jobes has had a letter from their son, Thomas Jobes, who with his wife returned north about a week ago The writer says he reached Bordentown, N. J, the day bfeore a blizzard and driving snow storm; that it snowed for two days, and that the snow was a foot deep on the level and four or five feet in drifts. The writer goes on to state that the snow cleared quickly, and that in two days the thermometer stood at 90 degrees, but at the writing it was cold again And yet we complain of the irregularity of Florida weather Mr Jobes has been sick and unable to work ever since he reached home

SEABREEZE, April 19—The following party of automobilists enjoyed a picnic at DeLeon Springs, Monday of last week: Mr. Hall and his mother, Mrs. Foster, who accompanied Dr. and Mrs. S. Z. Holland in their car, and Mesdanes C. A. Lund and W. O. Upson, who went with Mr. and Mrs. Murdock in their car. They built a fire and had hot coffee and meat, with the et ceteras they carried along. On the return home they were caught in a pouring rain, which fell between DeLand and Daytona. Mr. and Mrs. D. Michael and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hutton, joined the party in Daytona.

The last meeting of the library club was held at the home of Mrs. W. O Upson, on Earl street last Tuesday afternoon. Forty-seven ladies were present and the time passed in a pleasant social reunion. The receipts of the afternoon were $4.70.

The following picnic party enjoyed Thursday at Wilbur: Mr. and Mrs. Boyd, Mr Wilcox, Sr., and daughter, Miss Wilcox, Mrs. B. F Wells and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Poor and Mr Poor's brothers, who are visiting him.

Mrs. Geo H. Johnson, who has spent the first winter in her new residence on North Peninsula drive, left Wednesday morning to join her family at Endicott, N. Y Mr. Johnson and daughter went north several weeks ago. The chauffeur and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin, who were located in a cottage on North Halifax avenue, left in the car to drive to Jacksonville, from which point the car will be shipped north.

Mrs Henry Gane, who with Mrs Gane and children has been spending the season in the Griggs' home, has gone to Atlantic City, N. J, for treatment by a specialist for a sprained ankle. Mr. and Mrs Gane expect to leave about May 1st on their return to their home at Santa Barbara, Cal

At a business meeting held Tuesday afternoon by the trustees of the Methodist church a building committee was appointed, and an architect will be employed to get plans under way to enlarge the seating capacity of the building The present expectation is to build a basement of sufficient size for a Sunday school room under the east end of the church It is also hoped to install a pipe organ before another season opens

Speaking of the parsonage grounds, which are already greatly improved under Rev. and Mrs John Treadwell's care, Mr and Mrs. Treadwell wish to extend their thanks to their friends of the congregation who have so generously donated plants for this "community yard"

DAYTONA BEACH.

DAYTONA BEACH, April 16—John Barb has purchased of W R Phillips the Hilton apartment house on Ocean avenue Mr Barb is investing and building on Ocean avenue and vicinity in a way that shows his faith in the upbuild of ocean property.

Mr. and Mrs Geo W. Knox who closed their second season at the Orr apartment house last week, left for Brooklyn, N Y, their home town, Monday.

W. G Brewster who, with his wife, has been occupying an apartment in the Orr house left Monday on his return to Detroit, Mich., leaving Mrs. Brewster to join him when the frost gets out of the weather there.

Mrs. Witt, of Kansas City, and friend, Mrs. Parker, of Topeka, Kans., left Tuesday morning on their way home. They occupied rooms in the Orr apartment house.

Mr. and Mrs. Eby regular winter tourists, who this season have been in the Phillips flats on Seabreeze avenue, left Thursday morning on their return to Connersville, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilson, who spent the winter at the county seat, came in from DeLand this week and are located for a short time on Seabreeze avenue. They are delighted with the attractions of Daytona Beach and vicinity and regret that they did not come earlier.

A. P Robertson left Monday for Rochester, Mich, to join Mrs. Robertson, who was called home a couple of weeks ago.

Mrs M. F. Barnes, who spent the winter in St. Augustine, came in from that place the first of the week and is with Mr and Mrs. H T. M. Treglown at their winter home on Halifax avenue, where she will spend the summer

Mrs Edla Phillips, of Peninsula drive, has just closed a deal with Thos Beach and his son-in-law, Cecil Vining, for the sale of a lot on Coates street, south of Harvey avenue.

Mrs J. M Harris and daughter, of Boyne City, Mich, who have been house guests of Mr and Mrs A J Beardsley at their winter home on Halifax avenue, leave Tuesday for Ann Arbor, Mich. Mrs Harris is a prominent club woman of her home town, and she very much enjoyed the club privileges of the Sans Souci and Palmetto club meetings

Sans Souci Club Meeting—

The Sans Souci club met with Mrs. A J Beardsley on Halifax avenue, Thursday afternoon, 18 ladies present. Mrs G H Sheets and Mrs C. L Watkins were in charge of the program, which was a very interesting one, given by Miss Lucile Stanley Mitchell, principal of the department of domestic science in the Daytona high school Miss Mitchell exhibited samples of the work of the pupils of the school, done under her direction. Many questions were asked and answered, and those present were very much pleased with Miss Mitchell's lecture.

A Much Needed Utility—

At the last meeting of the town council, a permit was granted W R Phillips for the erection of a steam laundry on lot 6, Seabreeze avenue, which is the lot adjoining and west of the Phillips apartment house The building will cost from $2500 to $3000 This is a much needed utility on the peninsula and will receive a large patronage

Miss Bessie Justice who has been spending a month at Lake Helen, is expected here this week, but will probably spend the summer north.

Mrs. C W Tippyson and friend, Mrs. W. H. Deacon, who have been occupying one of the Beardsley cottages, left Friday morning for their home in Jackson, Mich. They will make several stops enroute.

News has reached here of the birth of a son, who arrived early in April, to Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Smith at their home in Jacksonville. Mr. Smith, who was reared here, has many friends in this vicinity.

S H. Armour, of Toronto, Canada, registered at the Palm for a few days' stay.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Rector will regret to learn that he is very sick at his home on Peninsula drive. A bad attack of asthma, to which Mr. Rector is subject, has developed into pneumonia.

Mrs W. S Cushman, of New Haven, Conn., has returned home, called north earlier than she had planned to go by business. Mr. Cushman, who is employed on the construction of the E. L. King handsome winter home, expects to be here all summer.

Dreams.

It is a common saying that one dreams of that which one has been thinking most about. This is the exception and not the rule. The dream may be of something that one thought of at some time, but possibly not for years, that would not be recalled in waking hours, which had lain dormant in the mind, to be prosrically rehearsed through some operation of physical functions, such as impeded respiration, feverish conditions, some posture of the body, a late supper, possibly ended with a dessert of mince pie, stomachic distress, clogging of the circulation or some bodily pain.

A Flood of Wine.

The Argentinians are a wine-drinking nation. The natives are of Spanish descent and are accustomed to having wine with their meals The immigrants, who have come in by the millions and who form perhaps one-half of the population, are mostly Italians and Spaniards, all of whom drink wine every day. All of the small Italian farmers have their own wine supply and every one who can afford it lays in a number of casks for his own use

Baby Knew Another Song.

The most embarrassing moments of my life, writes a correspondent of the Chicago Tribune, were one day while I was entertaining the minister, and wishing to display the sweet voice and really excellent memory of my little three-year-old, I coaxed her to sing the little song I had taught her, namely, "Baby's Boat's a Silver Moon" I had overlooked the fact, however, that the baby's father had taken her to the vaudeville show the other day, and consequently was greatly horrified when she lifted her little skirts and, capering about with an impish look, rattled out "He's a debbil; he's a debbil in his own home town."

Righteously Indignant.

Head of the firm (discovering that his apprentice and his young daughter are corresponding)—Well, well, it's love letters the rascal is writing to my daughter, and on my typewriter, too!—Munich Fliegende Blaetter.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PARADE SUCCESS

EXCELLENT PARADE HELD SUNDAY AFTERNOON BY MEMBERS CLASSES OF CHURCHES OF DAYTONA AND KINGSTON.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

The union Sunday school parade in this city on Sunday afternoon was a decided success and was participated in by about 300 members of the Sunday schools of the Baptist, Christian, Congregational, First Methodist and Kingston Methodist churches which appeared in the parade in the order named.

The parade was led by E. H. Shoemaker, superintendent of the Volusia county Sunday School association, on foot and carrying a large United States flag. There were class banners and flags in great profusion.

The parade started from the Congregational church, at the corner of Volusia and Palmetto avenues, went west on Bay street to Ridgewood avenue east on Live Oak avenue to Palmetto and north on that avenue to the place of beginning, where the assemblage disbanded.

The start was made from the point stated at shortly after 3:00 p m., and the paraders marched on the sidewalk on the right side of the street, while a dozen or more automobiles, also containing Sunday school members, kept beside them in the street.

The parade made quite a fine appearance and demonstrated the strength of the Sunday schools of this city and their interest in the work.

An Old College for Girls.

One of the oldest schools for girls on the American continent is the Colegio de la Pez in Mexico City This was founded by wealthy Spaniards in 1732 for the benefit of the children of the poorer classes. The building was designed after the royal palace in Madrid and covers nearly five acres of ground. The original name was the Colegio de San Ignacio. About eight hundred girls are usually in the college under a staff of 45 teachers.

Weeping Willows.

The weeping willows, so-called (scientific name S babylonica), is a native of China, from which country it has been taken over most of the civilized earth. It varies in height and dimensions, according to climate and soil, and invariably maintains its drooping habit, the chief cause of its attractiveness

Grumbling.

It is the easiest thing in the world to be dissatisfied. Anyone can do it, as the phrase goes, without thinking. But those who really think must agree with Amiel, the philosopher. He counsels thus. "Despise not your situation In it you must act, suffer and conquer. From every point on earth we are equally near to heaven and the infinite."

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"DEEP WATER." Our Slogan.

WEATHER REPORT.

for the week ending April 19, as reported by Frank J. Nordman, co-operative observer:

Date	Temperatures Highest	Temperatures Lowest	Rainfall in inches and hundredths
13	80	57	00
14	76	58	04
15	71	62	00
16	68	62	00
17	89	49	00
18	75	50	00
19	76	55	00

HAWKS PARK

Mr and Mrs R R Vrooman were the victims of a cleverly planned and carried out surprise party at their home last night

The Junior Auxiliary will give the last dance of the season t morrow night

Miss Ruth Smith left Sunday to visit her brother at Oak Hill

George Preston and wife started Thursday for their northern home in Hennicker, N H

At a recent meeting of the V I A a committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements to incorporate the village of Hawks Park The committee is composed of I S Crawford Dr D Forster and Geo Preston

Mrs Bishop and Mrs Metcalf left Thursday for their homes in Worcester, Mass

Mrs Forster has returned from a stay at Green Cove Springs

Mr and Mrs Geo Merdill W S. Hart, Mr and Mrs Elwanger and Miss Lillian Gilson returned Saturday from Tampa, where they attended the meeting of the State Horticultural society

Cruel Deception.

A neighbor had a parrot and a dog named Mac The mistress did not allow Mac in the house unless she called him Mac could open the screen door, but seldom did so, as he was whipped when he did It amused Polly much to see Mac whipped. Polly could imitate the voice of the mistress perfectly One day Mac was whipped for entering and shut out again. He came in again, then the third time, each time receiving his punishment and being sent out again. The mistress could not understand why Mac was so unruly, so she did not return to her work, but waited What was her surprise to hear a voice say, "Come in, Mac Poor Mac Come in, Mac" It was Polly calling Mac to see him punished and sent out again.

Surgery in the Air.

Sitting astride a steel beam on the highest section of a new theater under construction a doctor recently chloroformed a structural ironworker, and snapped into place the bones of a dislocated shoulder When the accident occurred the workman was left helpless, as both arms were disabled, and there was no means of descent except a series of ladders The doctor removed his hat, coat and vest, and began the dangerous ascent. A workman followed with the doctor's surgical case. After the operation the workman was able to make his way down the ladder and was taken to his home.

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FLORIDA CITRUS EXCHANGE

It came to pass several weeks ago that the Florida Citrus Exchange controlled the major portion of the fruit remaining in the State—for the first time in the history of the organization.

Almost immediately prices became good and they have been maintained since at a satisfactory level. The lesson is obvious and justifies the faith of the founders of the Exchange that what has happened would take place whenever the Exchange had the marketing of more than half of the fruit.

The Florida Citrus Exchange can continue to get good prices for the growers so long as they let it handle the greater portion of the crop. Therefore it asks that they entrust it with the marketing of sixty per cent or more of the citrus fruit produced in the State for the coming season that it may keep on doing this.

It is the plan of the Exchange to carry on even more aggressively its splendid advertising to increase consumer demand for Florida oranges and grapefruit. This season it has opened up many markets in which Florida fruit never before was sold. By still further extending this line of effort, the Exchange proposes to sell a much larger proportion of the fruit outside of auctions.

Growers now can join the Exchange with the privilege of having the local Association sell their fruit in carload lots at the packing house to buyers whenever these offer satisfactory prices. Any grower may terminate his contract with the Exchange at the end of shipping season. Won't you join under these conditions? If so, fill out and sign this blank, mailing it to the general offices in Tampa.

Date ____________

FLORIDA CITRUS EXCHANGE,
TAMPA, FLORIDA

I will join the Exchange for the season of 1915-16 on the terms set forth above.

Number of acres bearing trees in oranges ________ Name ____________

Number of acres bearing trees in grapefruit ________ Postoffice ____________

Number of acres bearing trees in tangerines ________ Shipping Station ____________

FLORIDA CITRUS EXCHANGE

Plenty of Other Ways

A boxing professor was giving his pupil a few tips, when suddenly he gave a knockdown blow Pupil—"Is it necessary to knock me down like that?" Professor—"Bless yer, no, governor Get up and I'll show yer ten other ways"

Modern Education.

A prominent school principal lately told us some of the answers found in pupils' examination papers. Here are two of them "What is a volcano?" "A volcano is a mountain that sometimes blows the equator off." "What is the difference between a mountain and a hill?" "A hill is like a mountain, only a mountain is a little more hillier.'

When the Witness Scored.

Judge—"What is your occupation, my man?" Prisoner—"I am a bus driver, my lord" Judge—'You mean you are the driver of horses attached thereto?" Prisoner—"Yes, 'sir'" Judge—"You are charged with hitting this man on the face Did you do it?" Prisoner—"Certainly not'" Judge—What did you do, then?" Prisoner—"I hit him on the nasal organ attached thereto."—Tit-Bits.

Had Made Something.

"Did yis iver make iny money backin' harses, Mulligan?" "Sure, Oi made a hundred dollars wance." "How did yes do ut?" "Oi backed him down cellar awn thin sued th' mon for lavin' th' dure open"

French "Immortals."

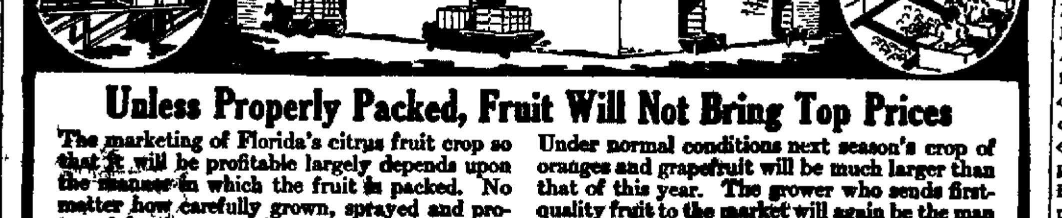
The "Forty Immortals" are those constituting the membership of the French Academy, the most eminent of the five academies known together as the Institute of France It was founded in 1635 by the celebrated Richelieu and reorganized in 1816 Its forty members, after the strictest examination, are elected for life It meets twice weekly at the Palace Mazarin and is the highest authority on everything literary in the country A chair in the academy is the highest ambition of all literary Frenchmen.

Drifting is Decisive.

Drifting is action, the most decisive kind of action—David Graham Phillips.

And What Could He Answer?

One Sunday morning Mr Moody, the revivalist, entered a Chicago drug store, distributing tracts At the back of the store sat an elderly and distinguished citizen reading a morning newspaper Mr Moody approached this gentleman and threw one of the temperance tracts upon the paper before him. The old gentleman glanced at the tract, and then, looking up benignantly at Moody, asked: "Are you a reformed drunkard?" "No, sir, I am not!" cried Moody, drawing back, indignantly. "Then why don't you reform?" quietly asked the old gentleman.



Unless Properly Packed, Fruit Will Not Bring Top Prices

The marketing of Florida's citrus fruit crop so that it will be profitable largely depends upon the manner in which the fruit is packed. No matter how carefully grown, sprayed and protected in the grove, fruit that is not properly prepared and packed will not bring top prices.

Under normal conditions next season's crop of oranges and grapefruit will be much larger than that of this year. The grower who sends first-quality fruit to the market will again be the man with a big bank account. There will be demand for the best, no matter how great the volume.

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Anticipating a greater demand than ever for machinery of this kind to be installed in houses now standing and others soon to be erected, we have enlarged our Dunedin plant and this year hope to be prepared to fill all orders.

Future profits in citrus culture depend upon efficient packing house equipment as much as anything else. Skinner's "Satisfaction Guaranteed" machinery has demonstrated that it is a paying proposition to growers of good fruit.

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Church Notes

Grace Episcopal Church—

On Palmetto one block south of Canal, William L. Blaker, priest in charge. Order of services.

Sunday

Holy Communion at 8 a m.
Morning prayer with sermon at 11 a. m.
Evening prayer with sermon at 7 p. m
Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Holy Communion

Every Sunday at 8 a. m.
First Sunday in the month at 11 a. m.
On holy days as announced.
The Litany Friday at 7 30 p m.
There will be no evening service the first and third Sundays of the month.

Seventh Day Adventist Church—

Service Friday evening at ... o'clock. Sabbath school at ... o'clock Sabbath (Saturday) morning. Bible reading at 11. Regular preaching service every Sunday evening. ROYAL HUBBELL, Elder.

Baptist Church—

Sunday school at 10 a m Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7 p m. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7 30 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited to attend these services. B. F GREEN,
Pastor in Charge.

First Methodist Church—

Corner of Douglass and Palmetto streets
Sabbath school at 9 45 o'clock, ... L. Branning, superintendent.
Sermon at 11 a m.
Sermon at 7 30 p m Special music by the choir
Mid-week prayer service Wednesday at 7.30 p m
The general public, and especially strangers, are invited to attend these services
There will be a meeting for men only in the Baptist church Friday evening at 7 30 o'clock The Rev. Stephen James Baker, pastor of the First Baptist church of St Augustine, will address the meeting ... has an interesting subject to present and all men of the church and congregation are urged to be present.
J QUINCY WELLS Pastor.

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LEGAL NOTICES

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Notice of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

Notice is hereby given that F W. Bredow, purchaser of tax certificate No 34, dated the 5th day of June A D 1911, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Volusia County, Florida, to-wit. N½ of Lot 21, Dupont & Gaudry Grant. The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of P. P. Nichols Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 11th day of May A. D 1915.

Witness my official signature and seal this 9th day of April A. D. 1915.
(SEAL) SAM'L D. JORDAN,
Clerk Circuit Court Volusia County, Florida. By CLIFFORD BOTTS,
Deputy Clerk.

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THINGS PAST FINDING OUT

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH BULLETIN

King Soloman said: "There be three things which are too wonderful for me, yea, four which I know not."

Soloman in his day was considered a rather close observer and the reputation has clung to his name all through all the ages, but if he had lived now it is very probable that he would have to admit that several more things were past his comprehension.

"The way of the eagle in the air, the way of a serpent upon a rock, the way of a ship in the midst of the sea, and the way of a man with a maid," are still unsolved, even with our superior experience, and more than these, we cannot understand the way of some lawmakers. There may be a reason, but—

There is a certain town in south Florida—the name is withheld, it would be too severe punishment—which on account of local conditions and the subsequent expense, has no sewerage system. The city council was asked not long ago to adopt an ordinance providing that all earth closets in the city should be screened—flyproofed—to prevent the spread of typhoid fever. It was intended as a protection for public health, and it is a measure that has been proved elsewhere a most effective protection; but this body of men declined to make it a law because of the expense

At the same meeting of the same legislative body bids were asked for the construction of a concrete wall about the city cemetery, which, it was understood, would cost not over from ten thousand dollars.

Think of it. The adoption of a law requiring a safety appliance to ward off or lessen a serious disease, a law which would entail absolutely no expense to the city, excepting its enforcement, was positively refused; and contractors were asked to submit bids for the expenditure of thousands of dollars to satisfy a sentiment.

In this there is intended no disrespect to the memory of the dead Civic pride and the beautifying of public places should be encouraged. "God's Half Acre" should be made as lovely as money and art can make it, but the first duty is to the living. Human life should be the most precious thing, but the unwisdom of men charged with high responsibilities make it the cheapest commodity in the world. Even our highest and noblest sentiments for the dead should not outweigh our regard for the living. God never intended that.

Typhoid is a fly-bourne disease. The destruction of the fly, and the prevention of its contamination with the germs of disease, are effective measures in the reduction of typhoid prevalence, in wiping it out from a community. It is a conservative estimate that every case of typhoid involves a money outlay of $500, and this does not include the loss of time through incapacitated human productivity.

Public officials who fail to recognize their responsibility toward their constituency in the protection of life and health, are not fitted for their responsibilities. Such a course as that pursued by the south Florida city council, proves its members too small, too narrow for public place. They haven't "made good."

When the people of Florida shall come to realize the value of public and individual health, when they shall realize that the failure to utilize every established precaution against preventable diseases is a sin, a crime, it is possible that sober, serious-minded, intelligent men will be selected to enact laws, and not men who "consent" to run for office at the "earnest solicitation of many friends."

The Simple Life.

After a farmer retires from active work he spends the balance of his life helping his wife with the family washing.—Louisville Times.

Charged with the violation of section 253 of the revised ordinances of the city of New Smyrna in not paying the street tax imposed by this ordinance, C. M. Daly and Frank Sams were before Mayor Newell this week. Daly's case was continued for ten days, and continuance of the case against Sams is said to have been granted, until, it is alleged, he refused to put up a cash bond of $10, when a fine of $10 and costs or ten days on the streets was imposed.

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"I understand that tenor keeps his voice in order by swallowing glycerin, menthol, camphor and oil of cinnamon," said the musician. "Great Scott!" replied the ordinary individual. "No wonder he insists on such high wages!"

Proof of It.

She—"Men aren't any brainier than women; they have only fooled us into believing that they are." He—"Well, doesn't that show that they are?"—Boston Evening Transcript.

Florida East Coast Railway Co.

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See Note A.		.....	6.30 PM	.....	Ar. Havana Lv	.....	9.30 AM	.....	See Note B	

*Trains 85 and 86 are not operated south of Miami on Sundays.
Note A—P. & O. steamships sail for Havana Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday only.
Note B—P. & O. steamships sail from Havana Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday only.
Trains 29 and 30—The Miami Local, between Jacksonville and Miami. Pullman broiler buffet parlor car, and First Class coach for white and colored, mail, baggage and express cars, make all stops.
Trains 85 and 86—The "Overseas Limited"—Atlantic Coast Line North of Jacksonville. Through Pullman sleepers between New York and Key West, without change. The "Overseas Limited" solid steel, electric lighted train, with electric fans. Through dining car service. Carries the Cuban mail. Only [illegible] Stops at important stations.
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Throughout the state, towns and cities are following the recommendation of the Federation of Women's Clubs to observe "clean-up week," and nearly every weekly newspaper carries the mayor's proclamation asking for observance of the week, usally May 4 to 11.

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Mrs. Jessie A. McGriff of Jacksonville, head of the state legislative committee, has been doing active work in Tallahassee since the opening of the legislature, in regard to the bills recommended by the state federation. Mrs. McGriff is being received courteously by the members of the legislature and has organized the women of Tallahassee for an active campaign.

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The Woman's club of Sarasota has just celebrated the opening of a fine new club home. The club is two years old, has a membership of 200, owns the lot on which the clubhouse stands, and has erected the building at a cost of $4500, to be paid for gradually.

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Florida is one of five states which has no compulsory school law, but it is quite certain that before the adjournment of the present legislature, it will be ranked with the large number who do have.

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The Orlando Peace society is requesting that Women's clubs send representatives to the convention to be held in Orlando April 29 to May 2. Dr. Arthur D Call, national director of the American Peace society, will be present and hopes to organize a state peace society.

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Now that the city council has refused to allow the city square to be used for school purposes, the Woman's club hopes the council will take action upon Mayor Newell's recommendation asking that half of the block be set apart for a city park, with the northwest corner reserved for the Woman's club.

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The March issue of the General Federation magazine contains an article by Mrs. Geo. W. Perkins, president of the Massachusetts general federation, on the "Ideal Club Woman." Read it and see if it isn't an ideal worthy of any woman's striving to attain. The article follows:

As we think of clubs and their value we are prone to guage their power or success by the efficiency of their officers, losing sight of the fact that it is the kind of members a club has which in the end proves its worth. The ideal club must have not only ideal officers, but ideal members as well. And what is an ideal club member? It is not the simple task it may at first appear to describe her. To be sure we club women all have—or are supposed to have—an ideal which we are striving to realize. The difficulty in generalizing it lies in the fact that it is so multiform—that the standard one person sets before herself to emulate may be radically different from that which is chosen as the objective of another, while a third person may have yet another criterion. What is more, all three may differ as to the qualities with which they would endow their idea's.

However, it seems obvious that there are certain distinctive traits essential to the ideal club woman, as well as certain characteristics that are equally to be avoided. The ideal club woman must be enthusiastically interested in her club; in its business meetings as well as in its luncheons; in the days when there is "home talent" as well as when the program carries the name of some noted speaker or some special attraction. She is the woman who is punctual in attending meetings; prompt in answering letters; alert in doing the work assigned to her. She is always ready to do her part—in fact, she is always doing a little more than she is asked to do; she is ever willing to contribute something to make her club a success; she is absolutely forgetful of self, thinking only of the good of her organization. Of course she does not gossip, and she is free from the spirit of criticism, for she tries to thoroughly understand a question before expressing her opinion. She is full of charity and very appreciative of the efforts of others; she has (this naturally follows) graciousness and tact.

The ideal club woman is one whose home is not only not neglected, but is more efficiently managed and more a source of inspiration because of the club interests.

She is honest not only with her coworkers but with herself, and she is never an office seeker.

Most of all, the ideal club woman must have sympathy. One of the political leaders of Massachusetts said recently that the "greatest test of true womanhood is a broad human sympathy." Sympathy means knowledge and understanding of the conditions existing in the world, but it also means a reasonableness of mind towards others' opinions, and an appreciation of the value of different points of view. It also means being what is termed a "good mixer," able to adapt herself to all those with whom she comes in contact.

Two years ago at the Council meeting in Washington, the subject on the program for the last meeting was "The Ideal Club Woman," and those who were present remember that it was said she must have the following characteristics: Steadfastness, thoroughness, poise, charity, courage, justice, hopefulness, faith, patience, honesty, dependability, sympathy, cheeriness, tactfulness.

After all the ideal club woman is only the ideal woman, ready to play her part wherever she may find herself.

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In last week's issue the name of Mrs. E. E. Ireland was ommitted from the list of members of the junior civics committee.

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The suffragists of the state are not meeting with any marked degree of success in their efforts before the state legislature, but 17 states of the Union have now given women the electoral franchise, and the time is not far distant when Florida will step in line.

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Another outing is being planned to take place in about a month, at which time the husbands are to be guests of the club members.

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The readiness with which the leftover food sold at the picnic was convincing proof that occasional cooked food sales would be profitable.

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Mrs. W. S. Jennings, president of the State Federation, will be in New Smyrna tonight and a meeting has been called to take place in the club room at 8 o'clock. Entertaining our state president is an honor in which we should take great pride and every club member in town is urged to attend the meeting. The invitation has been extended to include the husbands and we assure them that they will not regret hearing Mrs. Jennings speak on woman's club work. Let us fill our club room to overflowing.

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The picnic held Wednesday at Coronado beach was a success from every standpoint. The weather was fine, the attendance good, the dinner a bountiful one and every one was in the best of spirits. Dinner was served at Daugherty's pavilion and the afternoon was spent in various delightful ways. Some availed themselves of the opportunity for surf bathing, others busied themselves with fancy work, while others passed the time in dancing old time figures. A spirited auction sale of foods left from the dinner took place just before leaving. Those who were present were Mesdames H. H. Sams, W. A. Whitman, J. F. Van Deusen, J. H. Hibbard, E. A. Latham, G. H. Crane, E. E. Neal, Howard Almy, H. T. Hofreiter, W. B. Eckler, Cora Pitzer, F. M. Allen, P. E. Braswell, C. G. Herrick, J. C. Lyle, Martha Sprague, C. L. Berge, C. L. Dohn, Mary Hill, E. A. Kelley, Kate McKeown, W. C. Chowning, H. L. Rood, Misses Louise Crane, Minnie Fishbach.

What Adam Never Knew.

"Adam made a failure of de fruit business," said the old darky, "but mebbe ef he'd never tackled it we never would 'a' knowed de juicy sweetness of de Georgia watermillion!"—Atlanta Constitution.

To Be Determined.

"What are you going to do when you get home?" "I don't know yet," replied Senator Sorghum. "I've got to wait and see whether my reception by the town folks is in the nature of an ovation or the third degree."

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MATANZAS TO MAKE TWO TRIPS WEEKLY, FORT PIERCE-DAYTONA

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

The freight boat Matanzas, which for a month or more made weekly round trips between Fort Pierce and Jacksonville inaugurated a twice-a-week schedule this week, beginning Monday. Hereafter the Matanzas will make semi-weekly round trips between Fort Pierce and Daytona, at the latter place transferring her cargo to boats of the Howard Transportation company.

Because new engines were being installed in the Matanzas, she made no trip last week.

Joy in Service.

A life lived for self can never be good nor great. There is only one way to save a life and that is to lose it in service to others. Every child is entitled to a chance "to do the things" which he is able to do for others. Service of this kind brings home the highest joy as the years come and go. It is true, this "doing" affords in childhood days an outlet for physical energy; but better than that it forms the habit of living for others, which will some day prove to be a fountain of perennial joy to him.

An Ingenious Courtship

By WILLARD BLAKEMAN

Mrs. Martindale, realizing the dangers which beset young persons who step into matrimonial traps, desired that her daughter should be settled matrimonially while her mother lived and that she should marry a good man Edward Sawyer was the person on whom Mrs. Martindale had fixed her intentions for her daughter. One day she said to him:

"Edward, I have noticed that you seem pleased with Gwen. I wish to see her settled before I leave her. If you wish to marry her I will help you to win her. If not, I shall try to make a match for her elsewhere"

"You have not been deceived in my partiality for Gwen, Mrs. Martindale, but I don't see that Gwen has any special partiality for me."

"Gwen is romantic and needs to be won by romance. That is why I fear for her. Some worthless fellow is liable to appeal to her in that way and marry her. I value that which is practical in you and wish that you might sink it temporarily, be a bit sentimental, catch Gwen and marry her. After marriage I am sure your good sense and wisdom will hold her."

Mr Sawyer sat evidently turning something over in his mind, then assured Mrs. Martindale that, although he would be glad to win her daughter, he feared that he was too matter of fact to please her.

One day Gwen received a note which put her in a flutter. The writer declared that he had known her for some time; that he had loved her from the moment he first saw her; that he had forborne to give her the slightest inkling of his affection because he had not observed any predisposition on her part for him. He was a believer in love from the beginning. He knew the woman he wanted the moment he met her and felt sure that if she wanted him she would know him. While he would not make himself known, he could not refrain from telling her that he loved her.

In a few weeks came a second letter. In it her correspondent said that he was impelled to write to her, though he had no information of himself to communicate He had met her once since he had written the first letter, but had observed nothing in her greeting to give him any reason to think that she had chosen him as he had chosen her. Nevertheless he had a faint hope that there might be some subtle medium of transference which would enable his love to kindle its like in her.

Whether or not this medium existed, Gwen's heart went out to this unknown lover, or, rather, to a being whom she created She was troubled that he did not enable her to make even a written reply by giving her an address. But one day she received a letter in which he said that he was ill and was pining for a word from her. If he did not get it he feared for the result. An address was given, but she was assured that she would not be able, even if she desired, to trace him.

Gwen did not find the difficulty to be expected in writing a reply, because she wrote to one created by her own fancy. She did not intend to write a loving letter to an unknown man. She thought she merely expressed sympathy. But sympathy is so nearly akin to love that the expression of the one will often do for the other.

The stranger having given an address where a letter might reach him, quite a brisk correspondence sprang up between him and Gwen. She suggested that he make himself known, that if they could not be lovers they might at least be friends, and she longed to do something to show her appreciation of his preference for her. To this he replied that he was sure that when she knew which of her acquaintances he was, that he was a plain, ordinary man, she could not refrain from showing her disappointment. Nor would she believe that one she had known could have so long concealed the love buried away down in his breast.

To this she replied that such a discovery could not but interest her and might turn the scale in his favor. After much urging and the expression of many misgivings he consented to make himself known. He agreed to call upon her on a certain evening. When that evening arrived she spent much time before her glass arranging her costume, and when she heard the ring of the doorbell her heart leaped into her throat. She went downstairs, trembling with anticipation.

"Why, Ned Sawyer!"

Sawyer shrank back as though fearing she was about to cast a blight upon him.

"Can it be," Gwen added, a slight color rising in her cheeks, "that you have so long lived near me, have seen me so often and yet have been able to conceal what you have expressed in those lovely letters?"

"Oh, Gwen, tell me, are you—do you wish I had turned out to be some one else?"

"Why, Ned, do you mean to tell me that you haven't known that I"—

He clasped her to his breast. "No; had I even suspected it I would not have wasted so much time on this confounded"—

He checked himself in time to prevent spoiling what he had accomplished.

DAYTONA

Fred Stones, foreman for the Bond Lumber company, was a Bunnell visitor between trains Monday.

Mrs. Thomas Zuber, who underwent an operation Sunday at Dr. Bohannon's hospital, is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel B. Green and Mrs. J. M. Thurber, of Patchogue, N. Y., arrived from the south Friday and were guests at the Troy hotel until Monday when they continued their journey northward. Mr. Green is editor of the Argus of Patchogue.

Alderman Rolland E. Stevens returned Friday from a visit of two weeks or more at Joliet, Ill., accompanied by his little son, "Stevie," whom he took north with him, and also by Mrs. George H. Monroe, who had been north for a month or more.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Chew, who were season guests at the Islington totel as usual this winter, but left Daytona some time ago, are making the California trip before returning to their home in Xenia, Ohio. Mr. Chew is editor of the Xenia Daily Gazette.

The Misses Celia Snook, Lucy Stiling and Helen Drew attended the Christian Endeavor convention in Jacksonville as delegates from the society of the Congregational church of this city. The young ladies left here last Friday, returning Monday.

Captain and Mrs. Clay Johnson, who had been visiting Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. I. M. Mabbette, and family at the Hamilton hotel for a few days, left Friday for their home in Kissimmee. They motored to this city and returned to Kissimmee in their car.

Lieut E. S C Parker, U. S. N., who had been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas K. Parker, for about a week at the Prospect, on South Ridgewood avenue, left Friday on his return to Havana, Cuba, where he holds the position of naval advisor to the Cuban government.

J. M. Pryor, who spent last winter in Daytona and has this season been a guest of La Cross Villa, on North Ridgewood avenue, left Friday for his home in Owenton, Ky Mr. Pryor has made numerous friends here who will look forward with pleasure to his return again next winter.

R. P. Woodworth, his mother and other members of the family, who had been occupying during the season L. Adler's residence at the corner of Palmetto and Magnolia avenues, departed Thursday of last week on their return to Minneapolis, Minn. Mr. Woodworth, who is vice president of the Great Northern railway, has been here only a part of the time.

F. Ray Truman, for some time associated with the Lynn Haven Tribune, Lynn Haven, this state, was a Daytona visitor last week, attending the meeting of the Grand Chapter, O. E. S., of Florida. Mr. Truman was very much pleased with this city and the section in general, and while calling at the Daily News office stated that he looked forward to again visiting this place. Mr. Truman left Friday afternoon on his return to Lynn Haven.

Mrs. J. M. Jones, who had been in the city for a day or two, attending the Local Assembly of the Daughters of the King and enjoying a visit with friends here, some of whom she had not seen for eight years or more, returned to her home in Interlachen Friday. Mrs. Jones was given an opportunity to see the city and vicinity by means of automobile rides and noted the greatest change and improvement since her residence here eight or nine years ago.

Dr. and Mrs. Z. H. Going, who annually spends some time here during the winter and had been here through the season with Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Spring, 12 Ivy Lane, departed Saturday for their home in Chicago, Ill.

Miss E. J. Bredin, who went north recently, returned to Daytona last week, after taking a patient from Baltimore, Md., to Atlantic Beach, this state. Miss Bredin's home is in Wilmington, Del.

Mrs. Sarah Rhodes and Miss Phoebe Hoag, who had been located during the season in the Edmund Miller apartments, Palmetto avenue and Cedar street, departed Thursday of last week for their homes in Hamburg, N. Y.

Among the residents of Palatka in Daytona last week attending the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, and Grand Chapter, O. E. S. conventions were Mr. and Mrs. Louis L. Smith, Mrs. Charles Kupperbush, Miss Edith Kupperbush, Mrs. Lillian Knight and Mrs. Pierce. Mr. Smith and Mrs. Kupperbush came over in Mr. Smith's car early in the week and returned to Palatka by train Wednesday, leaving the car, which was driven back to Palatka Friday afternoon by Miss Kupperbush, who was accompanied by Mrs. Smith and their nephew, Master Louis James, Mrs. Pierce and Mrs. Knight. The party while here were at the Osborne, Mrs. Kupperbush being Mrs. Osborne's sister and Mrs. Smith and Miss Kupperbush daughters of Mrs. Kupperbush.

Miss Florence I. Small, season guest at the Magnolia hotel, departed last Thursday for her home in Oconomowoc, Wis. A number of her fellow guests at the Magnolia were at the railway station to bid Miss Small good bye.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hill enjoyed a visit from their daughter, Mrs. F. J. Trout, of Jacksonville. Mrs. Trout came to Daytona last Wednesday and remained about a week with Mr. and Mrs Hill at their winter home on San Juan avenue.

Mrs. A. H. Kling's mother and sister, Mrs. Beatty and Mrs. Stevens, who had been visiting her daughter at her home on Magnolia avenue, left last Thursday on their return to Marion, O. Mrs. King accompanied them to Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Brower, regular Daytona winter visitors and guests as usual at the Morgan hotel this season, were among the number returning north last week Mr and Mrs. Brower, who have many friends in Daytona and vicinity, are from Purling, N. Y.

Mrs. W. T. Durrett, who again this season has occupied Mrs. C. A. Roberts' residence, 364 South Beach street, departed Monday for her home in Louisville, Ky., accompanied by her niece, Miss Bradley, who had been with her for several weeks Mrs Durrett plans to come to Daytona again next winter.

Harry D Gilmore left Monday to attend a Masonic school of instruction in St Petersburg for a few days this week. He went by automobile from this city to DeLand where he expected to connect with James Carnell, of Ormond, and go with him by train to St. Petersburg. Mr Gilmore is a member of the Masonic lodge of this city, but resides at Seabreeze.

C. N. Pence and nurse, Miss Jane Bishop, who came south with Mr. Pence last fall, left Thursday of last week for Springboro, Ohio. They made the trip from this city to Jacksonville by automobile with Mr. Pence's son, H E. Pence, and other members of the family who returned to Daytona. Mr. Pence occupied during the season his winter home, 40 South Palmetto avenue.

A regular meeting of the Pinewood Cemetery association was held last Thursday afternoon in the parlors of the Bingham & Maley company store. Outside of the transaction of routine business the most important matter acted upon was the adoption of a formal application to the Daytona Beach town council for the free use of water in the cemetery which it is thought will meet with favor when it comes before that body.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carter motored to Ponce Park last Wednesday and spent the day at that place with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Demaree, who have been at the park through the season. Mr. Demaree continues to have some trouble with his left hand which was injured several weeks ago, but otherwise both he and Mrs. Demaree are enjoying their stay at Ponce Park.

F. J. Carleton, who had been here for between three and four months with his mother and sister, Mrs. Julia R. Boles and Mrs. L. C. Keech, at their home on First avenue, left Thursday of last week on his return to Charles City, Iowa. Until his visit here this winter it had been more than 20 years since Mr. Carleton had seen his mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Duff and son, J. LeRoy Duff, who spent last winter in Daytona and were located this season in Oakwood cottage, 439 Orange avenue, departed Thursday of last week on the retur nto their home in Arlington, Mass., stopping for a few days enroute at Jacksonville and Savannah. Mr. Duff and family made the trip from this city to Jacksonville in their car. They have made friends here who will look forward to their return again next winter.

Mrs. J. W. Pruitt left by train Saturday for Orlando, where she will spend a week or ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reynolds.

Messages received here Tuesday announced the serious illness at her home in Weatherford, Texas, of Mrs. Jno. F. Raper, mother of Mrs. Burton Fain, who has been spending the winter season in Daytona with her husband, who has been connected with the management of Clark's drug store since December. Dr. and Mrs. Fain had expected to return to Fort Worth, Texas, their home, about the first of May, but the latter may have to go earlier, on account of Mrs. Raper's sickness.

Mrs. C. D. Kittredge and little daughter, Mary Frances, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Peck, having come up from Ft. Lauderdale last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davis, who had been occupying the Seelye bungalow on Silver Beach avenue, Daytona Beach, during the winter, departed Saturday for their home in Louisville, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Davis made many friends here during their winter's sojourn.

E H Herrick, of Bogota, N. J, who had been here through the season as usual, left Saturday on his return north for the summer. Mr. Herrick has large real estate interests at both Port Orange and Ormond and was engaged while here in putting the property upon the market.

Mrs. Mary A Jackson, proprietor of the Prospect, on South Ridgewood avenue, departed Sunday on her return to Jacksonville by automobile with Mr and Mrs. N. A. Johns, who were returning north. Mrs. Jackson in the summer conducts the Colonial Inn at New Haven on the Sound.

Arthur Blodgett, who came to Daytona two weeks or more ago from Cocoanut Grove, and had been with his parents and sister at their winter home on South Ridgewood avenue, left Saturday to resume his studies in the Lake Placid school, Lake Placid, N. Y., which winters at Cocoanut Grove.

Friends here of J. F. Schmadeke and family, of Brooklyn, N. Y., will be pleased to know that they will be in Daytona again next winter, having rented for the season, through A. E. Donnelly, the C. M. Dow residence on South Ridgewood avenue. Mr. Schmadeke and family have spent the past two seasons in this city.

Mrs. Marie Duel and daughter, Mrs. Nellie Couch, of Bridgeburg, Ontario, Canada, who had been located during the season at the Edmund Miller apartments, Palmetto avenue and Cedar street, departed Saturday for their Canadian home, stopping enroute for a time in Buffalo, N. Y. They expect to return to Daytona again next season.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus H. Rogers, who had been at the Morgan hotel for about three weeks, left Saturday for New York, enroute to their home in Mill River, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers spent the season in Havana, Cuba, and stopped over in this city where they have many friends, on their way north. They at one time owned a winter home on Bay street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Brainard and daughter, who were located during the season in Dr. P. R. Bennett's house on Orange avenue, just west of Ridgewood, departed Saturday for home in Tompkinsville, Conn. Their friends here will be pleased to know that they will return to Daytona next winter, having rented for the season, through N. Y. Boris, Miss May Jolley's house, 12 South Palmetto avenue.

Mrs. C. M. Dow, who had been here through the season, dividing her time between her Ridgewood avenue residence and her ocean beach cottage, departed Sunday to rejoin Mr. Dow at their home in Jamestown, N. Y. Mrs. Dow's sister, Mrs. A. J. Raisig, was with her most of the season and she also enjoyed a few weeks' visit from her son, Howard Dow, and wife, and several friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wallace and little son, Leland L. Wallace, Jr, who had been located during the winter in a cottage at 192 First street, left Sunday for New York. Mr. Wallace was employed during the season in the mechanical department of the Daily News and Gazette-News office and is well known here, having held a similar position for several seasons a few years ago, prior to his marriage

Mrs Ralph Atkinson and little daughter, Gladys, arrived Friday evening from Wilkesbarre, Pa, and after spending the night in this city with Mrs. Atkinson's brother, Thomas Wetherell, and family, went to Holly Hill to be with Mr. Atkinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Wetherell Another daughter of Mrs. Atkinson, little Dorothy, came south with her aunt, Mrs. A. V. Putten, of Holly Hill, a short time ago.

W. E. Hitchcock was a Dupont visitor between trains Monday.

Geo. F. Crouch, local agent for the Canal Packet line, went up to Jacksonville on the steamer Swan, Monday, expecting to return on the boat today.

J. H. Donnelly left Monday on a business trip to Philadelphia and New York, expecting to be gone a week or more.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wines, Jr, who had been occupying their winter home on Rowlader Place during the season, departed Tuesday of last week for their northern home in Westhampton Beach, Long Island, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hallock, of 22 Cedar street, went up to Dupont Monday afternoon to spend a few days looking over that section and witness the harvesting of some of the potato crop which is now being shipped

L. E. Cave and R. Jeff Yelvington, of Holly Hill, went over to DeLand Monday, having been summoned to serve upon the petit jury. J. B. Garrison of this city, who had also been subpoenaed, was excused from jury duty.

Roscoe McLane, who went up to Jacksonville by train last Friday, returned Monday, driving home in his car which he had left in Jacksonville and bringing back with him his wife and child who had been visiting relatives in the state metropolis.

Harrison Rhodes, who has been here for some time with his mother and sister, Mrs. A. M. and Miss Margaret Rhodes, at their winter home on South Beach street, left Monday on his return to New York. Mrs. Rhodes and daughter will remain here until later.

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PRESENTMENTS OF VOLUSIA GRAND JURY TO CIRCUIT COURT

To the Honorable James W. Perkins, Judge of the Seventh Judicial circuit of Florida in and for Volusia county:

Your grand jury for the spring term A. D. 1915, of the circuit court of Volusia county, Florida, beg leave to report that we have finished our duties and make this final presentment:

We, as jurors, have been mindful of our oaths and have carefully looked into all matters brought before us, as our duty is, and hope that no guilty person may escape and that no innocent person may suffer.

We have carefully inspected the county jail and found that institution in perfect order and thoroughly clean in all its appointments. We found, however, that a small part of the plumbing system is defective, not being large enough to carry away the waste, and we would recommend to the court that the authorities who have charge of these matters be directed to make such changes as will make said plumbing system perfectly sanitary.

We have also inspected the poor house and would recommend that there be provided for that institution 3 screen doors, 2 screen windows, 1 linen closet and a deep well pump, the present pump being entirely inadequate.

The county offices we found in excellent order and entirely satisfactory.

We wish to thank the Court, his honor, James W. Perkins, and all officers of the court for their assistance in all matters required of them; and especially do we desire to express our appreciation of the unfailing courtesies and efficient assistance rendered by our state's attorney, the Honorable Joseph H. Jones, during our deliberations.

All of which we respectfully submit and now ask that if it is the pleasure of the Court, we be discharged for the term.

R. J. BISHOP, Foreman.
GEO. E. ACKROYD, Clerk.

Slavery Originated in the East.

Absolute slavery seems to have appeared in the eastern colonies somewhat earlier than in the southern, for slavery existed in New York in 1628, in New Jersey in 1628, in Massachusetts in 1630, in Connecticut in 1631 and in Delaware in 1636. There was a statutory recognition of slavery in Massachusetts in 1641, which was considerably ahead of such recognition of slavery in Virginia or Maryland.

Danger of Lockjaw in Felt.

That commercial gelatin, charcoal and other substances useful in medicine and surgery may contain the germs of lockjaw is well known. Quite recently it was found that felt so commonly used in orthopedic retentive dressings may also contain these germs in abundance. Two patients who had been treated at a German hospital lost their lives as a result of infection from the felt plates used to make a retention support.

Wrong Position for Sleep.

Sleep cannot knit up the raveled sleeve of care or do any other reparative knitting, if the head is bent sharply to an acute angle with the collar joints. Frequently men and women who have slept in this supposedly objectionable fashion for years and years suddenly lose the capacity for sleep with no new discoverable reason. It is difficult to convince them that the elasticity and resiliency of youth has heretofore made up for their lifelong awkward pose.

Chauvinism.

A chauvinist is one who is absurdly jealous of his country's honor or puffed up with an exaggerated sense of national glory. The words "chauvinist" and "chauvinism" are taken from the name of Nicolas Chauvin, a soldier of Napoleon, who was so notorious for his exaggerated and demonstrative devotion to the imperial cause that he was caricatured on the stage, and his name came to stand for all people who work mischief by their unreasoning, irascible and vainglorious patriotism.

Wily Chinese.

A friend of mine, says a correspondent of the London Chronicle, has just returned from a remote part of China, where he has been laying a railway. He tells me the big difficulty was the graves of Chinamen, over which, of course, no railway is supposed to run. At the outset it looked as if his line, in avoiding these, would become "straighter than a corkscrew, but not so straight as a rainbow." Then he conceived the notion of buying up graves that lay on the coming line of route. The wily Chinese were equal to him, for they dug up the bones of their ancestors and planted them ahead, right in the line of advance. My friend fears that often he paid three times for the same old bones; but ultimately he completed the railway, which now runs in a fairly straight line, except for the first mile or two.

EYES OF THE BLIND

By JOHN CAMERON.

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Everybody in Erpingham pitied Dorothy Lee. She was a sweet girl, and it was agreed that it was a great pity she was so homely.

"It ain't a fair handicap," said old Mrs. Howell, who kept the post office. "It's hard enough for a girl to get married in New England, anyway, but with her looks—I say it ain't fair."

Dorothy's father probably indorsed this view, but the hard-headed old farmer was too practical a man to worry about his daughter's looks. Dorothy lived alone with him, her mother being dead. What she thought on the subject she never disclosed. She must have known, however, that there was a reason why she was always a wall-flower at parties and was never invited on picnics and such festivities.

When she was twenty-five Tom Lanark came home after an absence of six years in the West.

Fabulous stories preceded him. He had found a gold mine in Nevada, one of the richest in the world, it was said, and the glare of the sun on the alkali plains had seared his eyeballs until he could only distinguish light from darkness. So he had come back at thirty, to resume life—no, not to resume it, but to take up its burden alone in the old house that had given him birth.

Margaret Barnett had been an old flame of Tom's in the bygone days. But if there was any idea that she would link her life to a blind man's Margaret, who was "running" with the banker's son, dismissed it promptly.

"I want a live one when I get married," she said. And Dorothy witnessed a snubbing which Margaret administered to Tom in the street, in front of her house.

She saw the blind man trying to peer after the girl whose shrill, scornful laughter echoed through the quiet street, and an excess of pity overcame her shrinking, and she hurried out.

"Mr. Lanark," she said quickly, conscious that her words were almost beyond her control, "I am Dorothy Lee. Don't you remember me?"

Tom Lanark felt for her hands and took them in his. "Indeed I do," he answered warmly. "I have often thought of you since I have been away."

"I think it was a shame the way Margaret Barnett spoke to you," declared Dorothy indignantly.

"Ah, well, one lives and finds out these things," replied the blind man wearily.

After that Tom fell into the habit of dropping into the old farmer's place of an afternoon, and on one occasion he actually drove up in a buggy.

"I thought I'd ask you to come for a drive with me, Miss Dorothy," he explained. "I was sure I knew the way down the street to here, and that you'd do the rest—if you are willing to do an act of kindness for a blind man."

"O, I should love to go driving with you," the girl answered. She ran upstairs to change her frock, and, five minutes later, the village was speculating over the appearance of Dorothy and Tom, driving down the road into the country and chatting as merrily as though they were old friends—which, indeed, they might have been called.

But during the return Dorothy became very pensive. For she knew that her heart had turned very strongly in the direction of the blind man, and that he, too, as her woman's instinct told her, was by no means indifferent to her.

And when they neared the town he suddenly placed his arm around her and drew her toward him.

"Do you think you can ever learn to care for a blind man, Dorothy?" he asked.

It was a tremulous figure, shrinking and nerved only by intense resolution, that went to Tom's door that night, fearful of discovery by the prying eyes of the town, yet spurred on by the sense of tremendous necessity. And, after she had knocked, she could hardly make her knees support her, and clung to the door-jamb for support.

The door opened. Tom peered out. Then:

"I can't marry you," the girl was sobbing wildly. "You have never seen me as I am, Tom. You don't know—"

"Don't know what, dear?" asked Tom's quiet voice. She felt his hands on her shoulders, but she could not see him through the gathering tears.

"I am the homeliest girl in Erpingham," cried Dorothy. "If ever you saw me you would be ashamed of me, Tom. And I can't marry you and not let you know; and I can't marry you and let you be ashamed of me."

She was beyond all self-control. She was weeping in his arms. She heard Tom's voice between his kisses.

"Dorothy, you are the prettiest girl in Erpingham, and it wouldn't make any difference to me anyway," he said, "because I love you. Now I will tell you something, dear. I am not quite so blind as people think—in fact the doctor says that in a few months more I may see as well as ever. Sometimes a man may pretend to be blind, Dorothy, in order to know his real friends from his false ones."

"How pretty Dorothy Lee has grown since her engagement to Tom Lanark," said the gossips later.

And all agreed that she made the sweetest bride that ever came out of Erpingham—all but Margaret Barnett, who was no longer "running" with the banker's son.

MISS ALICE GERSTENBERG

One of the youthful and extremely promising novelists and dramatists is Miss Alice Gerstenberg. After spending three years at Bryn Mawr college she decided that she wanted some "real work," as she sincerely put it, and launched into the literary field. As an author Miss Gerstenberg is not unknown to the American public, her "Unquenched Fire" and "The Conscience of Sarah Platt" having been favorably received.

In the dramatic field Miss Gerstenberg is known to the theater-goers by her "Alice in Wonderland" and the "Model Maid."

With all these activities in the literary field Miss Gerstenberg finds time to belong to many clubs in her home city, Chicago. Still she is the most modest and unassuming little person in the world.

HOW THE KAISER APPEARS

Correspondent Writes Pen Picture of Emperor as He Saw Him at Front.

Berlin.—A pen picture of the kaiser appears in the Kreuz-Zeitung from its war correspondent with the German troops in Poland, who says: "The kaiser appeared with General Mackensen, and passed along in front of the officers and troops. I had not seen him since the time when at the beginning of the war he spoke to the crowd from the balcony of the castle in Berlin.

"For one moment I had formed the impression that he had become terribly gray in the campaign. That, however, was an error, which arose from the fact that his head protector, which he was wearing owing to the extremely cold weather, was gray.

"The supreme war lord appears, on the contrary, extraordinarily fresh and elastic, even though the seriousness of these last months has left marks on his features, and a certain bitterness which formerly was not present comes into his voice when he speaks.

"When I saw him I could not help thinking of the kaiser parade in 1895 on the Spandau drill ground. How brilliant he then looked, how forceful, how confident in the future and victory!"

AUSTRIAN BAR IN PROTEST

Object to Restraining Refugee Lawyers of Galicia and Bukowina From Practicing.

Vienna.—A committee of the Austrian Bar association has recently drawn up a vigorous protest against the enactments of the government restraining the refugee lawyers of Galicia and Bukowina from the practice of their profession in lower Austria. The representations of the committee, which has behind it not only the prominent lawyers of Vienna, but of all the Austrian crownlands, received instant and hearty indorsement from the bar. The Austrian Bar association repudiated all sympathy with the illiberal policy of the state authorities, and by a three-quarters vote of its members, put itself on record against the proceedings disbarring its colleagues from Galicia and Bukowina. Public opinion, too, keenly alive to the fact that the government is imposing disabilities on a part of its population which is suffering for its sake, is in emphatic accord with the stand of the lawyer's committee.

"SOLOMON" ENDS BABY CASE

This Time in Person of New York Lawyer—He Foregoes the Sword.

New York.—May a child be held for board unpaid?

The question was asked of Magistrate Barlow, when Mrs. May Berghard, whose baby was born last August, summoned to court Mrs. Minnie Curtis because she had refused to give up the child until Mrs. Berghard paid $10 arrears of board for the baby.

On consulting the court Bible, Magistrate Barlow, in emulation of King Solomon in a similar case, glanced about for the state sword which should have been behind his chair. The court stenographer had taken it away to sharpen his pencil, and in default of anything bigger than a paper cutter Magistrate Barlow threw biblical instructions to the winds, and gave the child back to its mother.

BUNKOED BY A GREEK

By M. QUAD

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The pair of us had been in Athens three or four days when a party of English excursionists who were making a tour arrived. Among them was an antiquary who was looked up to and respected for his knowledge of ancient history and ruins.

Professor Himstead, as he was named, had been charged to pick up all the old Greek manuscripts to be had for money, and it was his inquiries for such documents that doubtless led to our undoing. One day a man named Talanti, who had somewhat the manners and dress of a gentleman, brought the professor two ancient manuscripts as a present, and to show his further good will he announced a valuable discovery which had just been made on the island of Aegina, about forty miles distant. He was the owner of the island, and while his workmen were getting out some stone they had come across some rare treasures in art, but had developed only a small portion of them. They had partly uncovered a stone box which he believed held a large number of manuscripts and valuable coins, but he had delayed the opening of it that some of his friends might be present. Three or four of them were going to his island home tomorrow, and he would be glad to have on his yacht as many of us foreigners go along as could make it convenient.

Aside from the English party, there were Americans, Germans and Frenchmen to the number of twenty in Athens, and when the list was made up we numbered over forty, of whom ten were ladies. When we went on board there was considerable surprise at finding her the craft she was. She was nothing more than a trader, and her accommodations were of a primitive character.

My friend the professor could speak Greek, but when he entered into conversation with Mr. Talanti's friends he found them sulky enough. This excited our surprise, as they were supposed to be gentlemen. When we came to look them over we began to get a little suspicious.

As we approached the island we saw it was fairly covered with trees, yet it did not have a hospitable look. As we made a close approach we could see a couple of rude huts and a primitive jetty, but Mr. Talanti explained that his castle was hidden by the forest and that he was landing at that point to save us a long walk.

As soon as the craft was made fast the three eminent friends of Mr. Talanti suddenly produced pistols and knives and took their station by the gangway. The sailors divided into two parties, and, handling their naked knives in a menacing fashion, they drove the people into line.

When Professor Himstead had rubbed his eyes, scratched his head and got it into his brain that something not down on the program was going on Talanti mounted a box and smilingly observed:

"Ladies and gentlemen, you are now about to pass ashore to behold my wonderful discoveries, but each one of you is required to leave all money and jewelry behind you. I will see that everything is safely cared for!"

The men cried out in anger, but what could they do? I do not think there was a firearm among them, while the Greeks seemed overanxious to use their knives. There were protestations and threats of the law, but Talanti only smiled at them and ordered the work to go on. Each man in the crowd was regularly held up—that is, his pockets were thoroughly searched and everything of value taken. The women were requested to hand over, and each one had her watch and rings in hand as she moved up. In the course of half an hour every one was ashore, and then Talanti took off his hat, made a sweeping bow and sailed away with his piratical crew. He had no sooner gone than half a dozen villainous looking men came down from the hut.

They told us they were fishermen, but their actions belied their statement. Their first move was to demand cash, and great was their indignation and disappointment at being told that Talanti's crowd had taken the last coin. When sure of this they left us, and an hour later two genuine fishermen came ashore in their boat. There were a dozen vessels within five or six miles of us, and a dollar would have been big pay for them to go out and notify the nearest one of our situation; but, realizing our helplessness, they demanded the sum of $100.

It was almost dark when a battered old schooner came sailing up to take us off, and the terms were $2 a piece, to be paid in Athens. We spent a dreary night on deck and landed in the city at noon next day. Immediately notice was given to the various consuls and to the Greek government, but no one had any faith that anything would be accomplished. The government made loud promises and seemed to be making all possible efforts; but, as a matter of fact, Mr. Talanti was not even pursued. He never could have put up such a job without a number of officials standing in with him, and each and every one of them doubtless shared in the plunder when it was divided. It was said that the money and jewelry amounted to about $6,000, and the only consolation any of the victims had was the privilege of abusing a country where such things could be carried out.

BIGGEST WARSHIP MAY NOT LONG HOLD THAT DISTINCTION

WASHINGTON, April 21. — The United States superdreadnaught, Pennsylvania, launched by the Newport Shipbuilding company a few weeks ago, when completed, will be the largest and most powerful fighting machine afloat.

How long will she hold that title? From present indications, not long. Already ordnance experts are beginning to think in larger units. When the keel of Uncle Sam's next superdreadnaught is laid, the belief now is that there will be included in her equipment a new feature.

This new feature promises to revolutionize the marine ordnance of the United States navy and will be the biggest step yet taken in the perfecting of the superdreadnaught type of battleship.

It is the new type of naval gun, 16-inch calibre—greater by one inch than the much-heralded guns of the powerful British superdreadnaught of the Queen Elizabeth class.

Experiments with this type of gun are, and for some time have been, underway by the ordnance officers at the naval proving grounds at Indian Head, Md.

The United States navy for years has religiously adhered to the 14-inch gun. They thought it filled the bill in all respects and didn't want any other. But the European war has taught lessons and the value of large calibre guns is one of them.

So successful have the experiments proven, thus far, that it is confidently predicted that the ordnance officers of the navy department will recommend the installation of this type of gun on the two dreadnaughts authorized by the last congress.

Should this style of equipment be extended also to the dreadnaughts California, Idaho and Mississippi, authorized last year, a complete division of 16-inch gun battleships would be available. This would make the most formidable unit afloat.

All tests of this type of weapon are carefully guarded, but it is said that the new gun is about forty-eight feet long and the weight of the projectile hurled is approximately 2,000 pounds.

A vessel mounting a full complement of these guns for its main battery—four turrets of three guns each—could hurl a broadside of about 24,000 pounds, or twelve tons.

This is about 10,400 pounds more than a broadside from the eight 15-inch guns of the British superdreadnaught Queen Elizabeth.

It is the work of this ship that the experts here are watching with the utmost care and the effectiveness of her ordnance will go a great way toward deciding the difference now existing between the two schools of naval armament.

Wonderful Cuban Caves.

The wonderful caves of Bellamar, Cuba, to the east of Havana, attract the attention of the ambitious tourist. They are on a plateau as level as a table top, which presents no signs of the existence of such caves. After descending into the earth, however, a picture unfolds itself. Then come many passages, and at last the great "Gothic temple," 250 feet long and 80 feet wide.

Probably Mamma Knew.

Little Elsie—"My papa's a minister, and that is best." Little Grace—"My papa's a lawyer, and that's best, too." Little Elsie—"No, your papa is not a really lawyer; he just practices law. But my papa is a really minister, because he just preaches and never practices. My mamma says so."—Judge.

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HEAD NEWS

*Let Herrick fix it

T. L. Howell made a trip to Orlando Monday, driving over in his car.

Miss Freddie Skipper left Saturday morning for Hendersonville, N C, where she will spend the summer

Mr and Mrs J F Van Hook and Miss Jennie Thornhill and help left Sunday for their northern home in Sullivan, Ind.

Mrs. Z. Spangler, who has been here through the winter season, left Tuesday for her northern home in Plainfield, Illinois

Mr and Mrs David Taylor and children came up from Oak Hill Sunday and are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D C. Silvers

Mr and Mrs M. Leidersdorf drove down from Daytona Sunday and spent the afternoon and evening calling on a number of their friends here

Mr and Mrs F. O Foster, who have been occupying the Van Hook cottage on Faulkner street, left Monday for their home in Atlanta, Ga.

Mrs. J. M Van Hook, Jr., and her mother, Mrs. Karsell, who have spent the winter here, left Wednesday for their homes in Bloomington, Indiana

Mr and Mrs J E Myers and daughter left Monday for their northern home in Harriman, N Y They planned to stop over for a week in Jacksonville

*Mrs C E Lamson, dressmaking, Skipper building, river front

Clifford Click, formerly a clerk for the New Smyrna Grocery company, but now traveling for a Jacksonville house, was in the city calling on friends the last of the week

Mr and Mrs C H Childs and Miss Upson, who have spent the winter with M L Childs at the Oaks, left yesterday for their northern home at Green's Farms, Conn

Mrs H C Phillips, Mrs James Read and Mrs A M Yarborough left Monday morning for Gainesville to attend the sessions of the state gathering of Daughters of Rebecca

Mrs S P Doane, who suffered a serious attack of heart trouble several days ago, has been in a very critical condition at her home, Doane Villa, but at present is improving slowly

**A parcel post sale will be given by the ladies Aid society of the First M E church, South, Saturday afternoon and evening in the lobby of the Palace theater Public cordially invited

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Mrs L G Hamilton will leave today for her old home in Elyria, O, going by boat from Jacksonville by way of Baltimore and Washington She will spend the summer visiting relatives and friends in Ohio.

Mr and Mrs F W. Edison have closed their winter home on Faulkner street and will leave today for Lorraine, Ohio, to spend the summer. They will go by boat from Jacksonville by way of Baltimore and Washington

Howard Almy and family will leave today for their northern home in Providence, R I They will go by boat from Jacksonville to New York and drive home from that city They plan to return to New Smyrna early next fall.

Mrs John T Hammond and baby left Sunday for New Orleans where they will remain for some time as the guests of Mrs Hammond's parents. Mr. Hammond accompanied them to Jacksonville and returned to New Smyrna Monday night.

Rev J. J Treadwell, former pastor of Trinity Methodist church, but now pastor of the Seabreeze Avenue Methodist church, Daytona Beach, was in the city Monday. He went back to Daytona Tuesday, making the trip up the river in his motor boat.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs W. J. Newell will come today for Kirkland, Ill., to spend the summer. The party will go by boat from Jacksonville by way of Baltimore and Washington and other points of interest.

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Snowdrift, large,	$1 17

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Osceola Quartered Beets, 3s	15c
Standard Tomatoes, No. 2s, 3 for	25c
Standard Tomatoes, No. 3, each	13c
Standard Maine Style Corn	10c
Fancy Maine Corn, Nabob 1s	10c
Nabob Peas, 1s	15c
Victory Early June Peas	13c
Van Camp's Pumpkin, 3s	10c
Van Camp's Hominy, 3s	10c
Van Camp 3 lb. Pork and Beans	18c
Van Camp 2 lb Pork and Beans	13c
Van Camp 1 lb Pork and Beans	9c

JAMS, JELLIES AND PRESERVES

Best Guava Jelley	15c
Pure Apple Jelly	10c
Osceola Jams, 2 for 25c, each	15c
Oversea Preserved Figs	15c
Prime Mince Meat	10c
Sunbeam Jam, 1 lb. jar	20c

DRIED FRUITS, BEANS AND PEAS

Prunes, 2 lbs for	25c
Evaporated Peaches, 2 for	25c
Evaporated Apples, 1 lb carton	13c
Currants	10c
Premier Crystalized Citron, lb	25c
Seeded Raisins lb 14c, 2 for	25c
Navy Beans, per lb	7c
Lima Beans, per lb	10c
California Black Eye Peas, lb	10c

DAIRY PRODUCTS, CHEESE

Blue Valley Butter, per lb	45c
Brookfield butter, per lb	40c
Fancy Renovated Creamery, lb	35c
Oleomargarine, best grade,	30c
Oleomargarine, standard grade,	25c
Full Cream Cheese, per lb	25c

COFFEE AND TEA

Somerset Club Coffee	45c
Sterling Coffee, per lb	40c
Victor Coffee, per lb	35c
Royal Guest Coffee, per lb	25c
Barrington Hall Coffee	40c
Special Blend Bulk Coffee	25c
Golden Rio Green, per lb	15c

PICKLES AND SAUCES

Crubro's Sweet Midgets	25c
Heinz' Sour Mixed	30c
Lee & Perrin's Worcester Sauce	35c
Hirsch's Small Ketchup	15c
Van Camp's Small Ketchup	13c
Van Camp's Ketchup, pints	23c

SOAPS AND SOAP POWDERS

Lenox Soap, 6 bars for	25c
Gold Dust, 6 packages for	25c
Grandma's, 6 packages for	25c
Pearline, 6 packages for	25c
Soapade, 6 packages for	25c

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Cal Sun Kist Peaches, can	25c
Cal Hunt's Lemon Cling, can	20c
Pie Peaches, 3s, per can	13c
Rose Dale Sliced Peaches, lb can	15c
Nabob sliced Peaches, lb. can	15c
Nabob, 2½lb Sliced Pineapple	25c
Royal Anne Cherries, per can	30c
Boyer's Apples, 3s, per can	10c
Blueberries	20c

FARINACEOUS GOODS, CEREALS

Gold Medal Flour, 24 lb sack	1 15
Pillsbury's Best Flour, 24lb. s'k	1 15
Pure Silk Flour, 24 lb. sack	1.10
Hudnut's Pearl Meal, per lb	3¾c
Georgia Water Ground Meal, lb	2¾c
Hudnut's Pearl Grits, per lb	3¾c
Rice, Fancy Head, 15 lbs	1.00
Rice, Jap Head, 17 lbs for	1.00
Hecker's Oat Meal	10c

NUTS

Fancy Almonds, lb	25c
English Walnuts, per lb	25c
Selected Brazil Nuts, per lb	20c
Peanuts, fancy, per lb	10c
Florida Grown Groundnuts	5c

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Extra Fancy Stock Irish Potatoes per peck, or $2.35 per bag.	25c
Sweet Potatoes, per peck	30c
Sweet Potatoes, per bu.	1.00
Onions, red and yellow, peck	60c

CANNED MILK

Van Camp's Baby, 6 for	25c
Van Camp's tall, 3 for	25c
Pet Baby, 6 for	25c
Eagle Brand, each	18c
Anchor, 14 ozs	10c

SYRUPS

Karo, blue, No 5	25c
Karo, blue, No 2	15c
Karo, red, No 1½	15c
Alaga, qt size, each	15c
Alaga, ½ gal size, each	40c
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Mrs John Rowe and daughter and son returned Monday from Jacksonville

Rev. W L Blaker has rented the Oaks Poultry Farm place and will occupy it during the summer months.

Mr and Mrs J E Davis, who own a winter home in the Inwood section, left Tuesday for their northern home in Whitesboro, N Y

B H Wilson, local manager for the Indian Springs Land company, made a business trip to DeLand and Sanford Wednesday and yesterday

M and Mrs R Messersmith, who have been occupying rooms in the Rush house for the last six months, left Tuesday for their northern home in York, Pa.

Miss Elizabeth Slyer, who is employed in the office of the Indian Springs Land company here, is enjoying a vacation and has gone to her home in Washington, D C.

*Palm Beach suits and extra pants. The H W Davis Company

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Warner and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Abbott, who have had rooms at T. B. Chilton's during the winter, started Tuesday on the return trip to their homes in Reading, Mich

Mr and Mrs. F. E. Loveloy, who have been occupying the Lawrence home in Rio Vista Park during the winter season, started Saturday for their summer home at Woodford, Maine, driving through in their car.

Mrs. O. K. Key and three children left Monday for New Smyrna, to visit Mrs. Key's parents, Mr and Mrs. R. V. Douglas While away Mrs. Key attended the meeting of the grand chapter, O. E. S., which was in session in Daytona.—Cocoa News-Star.

The Ladies Aid society of the M E church, South, met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs R. S. Montaigne Succeeding the business of the afternoon a social hour was spent, during which the hostess served refreshments of punch and cake. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J C. Lyle

*Let Herrick fix it

M L Childs left yesterday for Boston

Dr and Mrs M R Waggoner left Tuesday for their home in Dewitt, Iowa

Miss Clarabel Godfrey returned Monday from Jacksonville, where she had been visiting relatives for a few days

The Coronado basketball team was defeated by the Trinity team in a game played last Thursday evening, by a score of 45 to 10

*Bathing time is here Come in and get a bathing suit Our stock is new. The H. W. Davis Co

Mr and Mrs. C A Young and Mrs Dwyer closed their winter cottage on Washington street Tuesday and left for Danielson, Conn.

Miss Grace Root and her mother left Tuesday for their home in Wisconsin. They went by way of Philadelphia, where they will visit for a time.

Capt. and Mrs George Gleason of St Augustine were guests of Mr and Mrs. F. Brandt Monday They were on their way to visit relatives in Eau Gallie.

Mr. and Mrs Henry Hughes, who have a winter home on Palmetto street and have been here for the last four months, left Wednesday for their home in Lexington, Ky.

G H. Crane and family, who have occupied the Davis house on Magnolia street since coming here three years ago, have moved this week into Mrs. M. M. Crane's home on the water front.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Watson and family and Mr. Watson's mother, Mrs. Howe, left Monday morning for their northern home in Twin Lakes Pa. They plan to return to New Smyrna as early as possible next fall

Miss Mildred Newberry, who has been taking care of the books for the New Smyrna Grocery company since last fall, has resigned her position and left yesterday for Tennessee, where she will visit relatives and friends for the next three months.

PURE BRED WHITE LEGHORN EGGS—THE FAMOUS WILLIAMSON STRAIN $1 00 per setting, $5 00 per hundred SPECIAL The first five orders received will be filled at ONE-HALF PRICE.
O B WHITAKER, Glencoe, Fla

Miss E Lee Miller has gone to Jacksonville for a visit with her sister

The Ladies Aid society of the Congregational church met Tuesday with Mrs R S Sheldon

Mr and Mrs F H Boles closed their cottage on Ball street Monday and left for Arlington, Mass

Mrs Cora Wilson went to Tallahassee yesterday to spend some time with her daughter, Miss Zelia.

Miss Mary E. Francis, who has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Dohn, left yesterday for Winter Park

Capt. F. S. Sams and J S. Duss, Jr., went to Tallahassee Monday to attend the sessions of the state legislature.

Byron P. Gray and wife, who have been occupying their cottage on Faulkner street through the winter season, left yesterday for their northern home in Wolf Lake, Ind

Rev T B. Lawrence is recovering from his recent attack of illness and is now resting and recuperating at the beach. He is being assisted in his work here by Miss Meyer, a deaconess from the deaconess' home

Dr. and Mrs P. A. Powers have closed their winter home here and left Tuesday for their northern home in Wallingford, Conn. Mrs Meyer, who has been with them during the winter, returned north with them, going to her home in Pine Orchard, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kennedy, who have been occupying the F W Edison cottage, left Tuesday morning for their northern home in Center Point, Ind They will remain there until well into the summer and then go to Steamboat Springs, Colo, for a stay of several months, returning to New Smyrna early next fall.

Send the News to your friends.

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SCHOOL ITEM

Miss Bouchelle's class entert ed at chapel Tuesday

Mrs. Kite, Mrs. Skipper, Mrs ton and Mrs Seaver were visi at chapel Tuesday.

Miss Booth's class gave an en tainment at chapel Friday

The high school students are h at work on the play, "Esmeraldi," be given the Friday before mencement.

The Parent-Teacher club met day afternoon with an attendance about 20. The members discus several topics of interest, and a n ber of important subjects w brought up, such as buying a s for the piano and a meeting pl for the summer months The vo tary collection amounted to over The club has received donations fr the Men's club, the Woman's c and the Wee-Wee club

The weekly program given yes day afternoon by the Agathere Literary society was as follows

Roll Call—answered by famil verse.

Opening Song—Selected

Minutes by the secretary

Debate "Resolved, That New Smyrna Special Tax Distr Should Be Bonded for the Purch ing of Suitable Grounds and Erection of a New School Buildin Affirmative: Lee Pitzer and Le Brandt. Negative Lindsley Ro and Ruth Jones

School Paper—Joe Bryan and Ma garet Knapp.

Closing Song—Selected

Naming the Baby.

Young Mamma—"What shall we ca baby?" Ditto Papa—'Coffee, becaus he keeps us awake at night —Phila delphia Ledger

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PROPOSITION TO HAVE BOTH WATERWORKS AND SEWER SYSTEMS READY BY OCT. 1

McCrary Company Makes Offer to Council and Board of Public Works to Follow Specifications and Do Construction Work on a Basis of a Percentage and Rush Work

Complete plans and specifications for the proposed waterworks and sewer systems to be installed in this city were brought here this week by Chas. C. Cook, chief engineer for the J. B. McCrary company, and Geo. C. Pierce, representative of the company, and were presented to the city council and board of public works at a joint meeting of those bodies held Tuesday night.

Advertisements for the sale of the bonds are now being published, the advertisements calling for the bids to be opened June 1, and immediately after this bids will be asked on the plans and specifications as prepared by the McCrary company.

The adjourned session of the city council and the joint session with the members of the board of public works was held Tuesday night for the purpose of receiving the specifications from the engineering company, and these specifications were thoroughly explained by Mr. Cook, the reading and explanations taking up the time until the lights went out at midnight, when the session was adjourned to meet again tonight.

The plans submitted by the company are the same as the ones submitted after the surveys and estimates had been made and before the bond election was held in January, and as have been explained in these columns before. The specifications are more detailed than the ones previously submitted, being prepared expressly for the guidance of c ntractors in bidding on the construction work, and explaining in det il the kind of buildings to be erected, the machinery to be installed, the sizes and kinds of pipe to be laid,etc

Just before the adjournment of the joint session Mr. Pierce, as a representative of the McCrary company, presented a proposition, similar to one presented before, that the McCrary company will guarantee to take the issue of bonds at par, and also take the issue of liens on property for the payment of two-thirds of the cost of sewer installation, if the council and board of public work will contract with the McCrary company to do the construction work on a profit percentage basis. The company proposes to act as purchasing agent for the city in purchasing materials, and guarantees that the total cost of installation of the systems of waterworks and sewers will not be more than the guaranteed estimates previously furnished by the company, and any less cost than this will be saved to the city.

The company also agrees, if this contract is accepted by the council and board of public works, to have the construction work finished and both systems completely installed by the first of October.

This proposed contract will be taken up by the two bodies at the adjourned meeting tonight and further discussed by the members.

OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN BY FIRE DEPARTMENT.

At a meeting of the New Smyrna fire department, held Wednesday evening this week, the following officers were re-elected to serve during the ensuing year:

Chief—F. A. Newell.

Assistant Chief—F. L. Moore.

Secretary—V. A. Newell.

Treasurer—E. J. Rogero.

The remaining officers of the various companies will be chosen at a future meeting.

The trustees were asked to fill the vacancy on that board by appointment.

W. H. Gilmore and Gordon Ferreira were elected to membership in the department.

By the action of the department the automobile truck, which has been in the equipment for some time, has been discarded and the hose placed on a one-horse wagon until some other arrangement can be made to handle the hose. The 30-gallon chemical has been taken off the truck and placed on two wheels as before, and the secretary was instructed to notify E. J. Rogero that the fire department does not wish to keep the truck as a part of the equipment, and that it is left in the fire station subject to his order.

A proposal to move the apparatus to the garage now occupied by Zipperer & Patch on Downing street was discussed. Mr. Zipperer proposed to rent one-half of the building to the department for the same rent now being paid by the department. F. L. Moore and K. L. Chilton were appointed as a committee to take this matter up with the trustees and council and ask for authority to move the equipment to the new location.

As the department is now without a hose cart, a campaign is to be started at once to get a motor-drawn fire truck.

Must Face Criminal Court.

Charged with larceny, [illegible] who is claimed as a "tramp tourist," was before Justice Newell Wednesday and bound over to the criminal court for trial. Bond was fixed at $200. The complainant was F. M. Salls, an old man with whom Grady roomed. Grady is alleged to have got up in the night, took a $51 from Salls's pockets and gone to Oak Hill, where he was later located by Deputy Sheriff Brooks and brought back here for trial.

HAWKS PARK COUPLE MARRIED AT DELAND.

At the Episcopal church rectory in DeLand at 1 o'clock last Saturday afternoon Alexander MacLean, Jr., and Miss Hester Franks were united in marriage, the ceremony being performed in the presence of Mrs Marshall and her daughter, Miss Lillian, Mrs. Vrooman, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Vrooman and Donald Murray.

The wedding party made the trip from this city to the county seat for the ceremony and returned to Hawks Park immediately afterward.

The groom is a son of Alexander MacLean, Sr., and has been coming to Hawks Park for the winter seasons for a number of years. He is well known in Hawks Park and New Smyrna. The bride is from Muskegon, Mich., and came to Hawks Park last fall with Mrs. Marshall and her daughter. She has made many friends during her stay here.

Mr. and Mrs. MacLean will remain at Hawks Park through the summer and will leave next fall for the west to make their home.

The newly married couple were given a reception Monday night, attended by a large number of their friends, who suddenly appeared at their home, which proved too small to accommodate the large crowd and an adjournment was taken to the village hall, where Mr. and Mrs. MacLean were presented with a quantity of silverware, the presentation being made by I. S. Crawford Following this an impromptu program was rendered, consisting of instrumental music by Miss Beryl Murray, recitations by Mrs. Bishop and vocal solos by C. W. Murray. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

MRS. SARAH CLARK WEDDED TO HENRY TOWNSEND.

At the parsonage of the Methodist church in Daytona Tuesday, April [illegible] Mrs. Sarah Clark of New Smyrna and Henry Townsend of Daytona were united in marriage, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. J. H. Elder. Mrs. Townsend has been a resident of New Smyrna for many years and has hosts of friends here who wish her joy in her wedded life. They will make their home on Arlington avenue, Daytona.

Mrs. Martha Sprague, who has spent the winter at the home of her son, C. L. Berger, left today for her home in New Jersey.

BLANKETED BELGIANS TRYING TO KEEP WARM

The soldiers of Belgium are poorly equipped for winter fighting, but blankets are being distributed among them as rapidly as possible.

WHY NOT ALL TOGETHER BY ONE PLAN?

The Florida Citrus Exchange is not an experiment. It has already conclusively demonstrated its value to its members as well as the fruit growers of the state who are not members. Certainly these non-members must know that their co-operation is needed to make the work of the exchange more effective.

Here is a mutual association organized without the idea of financial profit in the shape of interest or dividends, for the benefit of the citrus fruit growers of Florida. It has been in successful operation for several years. It has had much to do toward preventing the shipment of immature fruit, which invariably kills the demand on northern markets for one of Florida's finest products. It has had good laws passed to improve conditions for the Florida fruit grower. It has raised the standard of grading and packing citrus fruits until it equals that of any competition. It has secured concessions from transportation companies through its efficient traffic department where individual effort would be ignored. Through its capable management in its grading, packing, transportation and marketing it has secured better prices for its grower-members than they would have otherwise enjoy and at the same time, as a direct result of its influence, Florida fruit has gained a better reputation and growers who are non-members have benefitted correspondingly.

The business affairs of the Florida Citrus exchange are handled by a corps of experts who understand every detail of the industry from the nursery to the market. The wonderful results that they have accomplished in spite of difficulties and obstacles have all been brought about at a cost of only a few cents per box to each member.

In spite of all this there are still hundreds of citrus fruit growers in Florida who are not members of the exchange—who will not join hands with their neighbors for their own good.

It is a pleasure, however, to record the fact that the membership in the exchange is steadily growing and the day is not far distant when 50 per cent or more of the citrus fruit crop of Florida will be graded and packed under the supervision of and marketed through the Florida Citrus exchange.

We don't know how to put this up stronger to you, Mr. Grower, but if you can carefully consider the past record of the exchange, without prejudice, surely your course will be clear to you and you will lose no time in affiliating with this organization that was established for your benefit.—Florida Farmer and Homeseeker.

WEATHER FORECAST

For the week beginning Wednesday, April 20, 1915.

Issued by the United States Weather Bureau, Washington, D. C.

For South Atlantic and East Gulf States:

Except for local showers at its beginning in the east Gulf states, the week will be one of generally fair weather with temperatures above the normal.

STATE HEAD OF WOMEN'S CLUBS IN CITY TONIGHT.

Mrs. W. S. Jennings of Jacksonville, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, will meet with the New Smyrna Woman's club at a special meeting tonight and will address the members of the local organization at the club rooms. Mrs. Jennings met with the Palmetto club in Daytona yesterday afternoon and a number of the members of the local Woman's club attended the meeting. She will go from here to Winter Park tomorrow for a visit with a friend. The local women feel highly honored and very grateful of this oportunity to entertain the state president. An invitation is extended to the men of the city to hear Mrs. Jennings' address tonight.

HERMAN ANDREWS WILL MANAGE GROCERY STORE.

Herman Andrews, well known here because of being formerly connected with the New Smyrna Grocery company, has returned to this city, purchased an interest in the New Smyrna Grocery company's business and will hereafter be in active management of the store, working with Mr. Greer. Mr. Andrews has many friends in this city who are glad to welcome him and his wife as permanent residents of New Smyrna. For some time Mr. Andrews has been connected with Baker & Holmes in Miami.

Mrs. F. M. Allen returned Wednesday from a visit in Sanford.

Gossip of the Town by the Town Gossiper

I understand the city council has given another 60-days order—this time on the buildings at the foot of Lytle avenue—but the building at Faulkner and Julia streets remains and the people are still wondering how long is 60 days.

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I see by the reports of the recent meeting that W. S. Hart of Hawks Park has again been chosen treasurer of the State Horticultural society and the members of the organization may be assured the funds of the society will be as carefully looked after this year as they were when Mr. Hart took up the duties of that office, which he has satisfactorily filled every year since. Reports from over the state are that much credit is due Mr. Hart for the whole-hearted support he has given the society in the 12 years he has served as its treasurer. He has carefully looked after the funds when there were any and met the needs when there were no funds. It is a thankless job at the most, but Mr. Hart has met the obligations of the society in the same way he takes care of his own business matters.

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Dr. Davis Forster wants a red pig that weighs 25 pounds, and he wants this pig brought to him by the man who used an automobile as the instrument to scatter his 25-pound red pig all over the road last Saturday. 'Twas a nice, fat pig and the doctor had hopes of raising him to be a nice, fat hog—until he was hit by the instrument of death and suddenly converted into sausage—and now the doctor wants the driver of that car to bring him another red pig. Just bring the pig down and drop him inside the fence at the Shelter.

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Some kind friend in Daytona has mailed me a marked copy of the Waterbury, Conn., American, with the following item on "Life at New Smyrna," appearing under the head of West Goshen:

"Joseph A. Lucas and family of Egremont, Mass., have been spending the winter at New Smyrna, on the east coast of Florida, in full view of the Indian river, and report it a cold winter there. He wore an overcoat once on an auto ride and again on the night of March 24, when it froze 9,000 acres of potatoes back in the town of Hastings, next north. New Smyrna is a city of 1,800 people with a mayor and marshal, but no "cops." The assessor has the whole county and lives at the county seat. The state is democratic, or anti-negro, with tendencies towards Teddy Roosevelt. Seventy-five per cent of the tourists are old progressives and they don't seem contrite or penitent. Fishing is poor, the water is cold. Citrus fruits are plenty and cheap. Culls, drops and deadripes sell from 125 for a quarter up to 50 cents a hundred. Some have been plowed under. Mr. Lucas' party will leave Jacksonville April 26 on the steamer Comanche, Clyde line."

The people of New Smyrna will feel like congratulating Mr. Lucas on his wonderful perceptive qualities, for he made at least one truthful statement—New Smyrna is in full view of the Indian river. The people might also feel like congratulating Mr. Lucas on being able to afford an overcoat for that one little, lonely automobile ride he took. However, they might not feel like congratulating Mr. Lucas if the people of Port Orange, Daytona, Ormond, Dupont, Bunnell, Palatka and a few other cities and towns in the 75 miles between this city and Hastings should get hold of him after making the statement that Hastings is the next town north of New Smyrna. Also, he might not be a subject for congratulation if some of the young winter visitors get hold of his statement that 75 per cent of the tourists are "old" progressives. "Fishing is poor, the water is cold." Did Mr. Lucas come here expecting to sit on the bank of Indian river or the beach of the Atlantic ocean and have cooked fish jump out of boiling water into his lap? In what part of the Atlantic ocean does Mr. Lucas expect to find hot water? Very exceptional is Mr. Lucas.

PROGRESSIVE LEAGUE GETS BUSY FOR CITY CAMPAIGN

NEW OFFICERS TO BE CHOSEN AT SESSION TO BE HELD NEXT MONDAY NIGHT IN PELLET'S HALL.

That the New Smyrna Progressive league proposes to take an active part in the coming city election is indicated by the fact that the league is now being re-organized for the purpose of discussing candidates for city offices and platforms on which the candidates will be asked to stand.

An informal meeting of the league was held last Monday night, when the political situations were talked over and discussed and plans for the campaign were outlined.

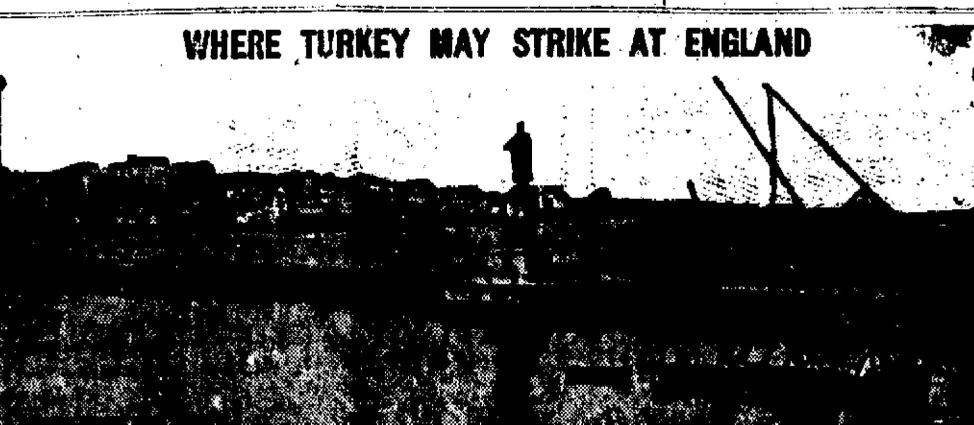
Another meeting of the league will be held next Monday night at Pellet's hall, and notices have been sent to all members of the league, as well as those who may be interested in becoming members, to be present at that session. New officers will be chosen at that time and further plans for the future will be made.

John G. Home Severely Injured.—Many friends of J. G. Home of the Florida East Coast railway, who is in charge of the waterworks and pumping stations, will regret to know that he is laid up with a fractured knee cap and many painful bruises, caused by an accident a few days ago near Melbourne. An axle on the little track motor car on which he was riding on his trip of inspection broke, derailing the car and throwing the occupants into a ditch.—St. Augustine Record.

Mrs. A. E. Boone, son and daughter, have closed their winter home on Magnolia street and left yesterday for their Massachusetts home. Mr. Boone, who was here several weeks during the winter, returned north some time ago.

Geo. L. Branning was ill several days this week and unable to look after his duties as cashier of the State bank.

WHERE TURKEY MAY STRIKE AT ENGLAND



Entrance of the Suez canal at Port Said, Egypt, with statue of Ferdinand de Lesseps in the center.

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